

PRETTY JUNE BRIDES

Several Local Couples Join the Popular Throng and Will Travel in Double Harness Henceforth.

LUTTER EATON.

The wedding of Oscar J. Lutter of Milwaukee and Vera Louise Eaton of this city, will take place this evening at 8 o'clock at the home of the bride, 516 Clark street, Rev. E. M. Thompson performing the ceremony. The wedding will be private, only immediate relatives being present. Miss Marie Eaton, sister of the bride, will be maid of honor, and Lenore Eaton, brother of the bride, will act as best man.

The house is beautifully decorated in pink and white, with banks of ferns and pink honeysuckles. A wedding luncheon will be served after the ceremony, the same color scheme being carried out at the tables.

The bride will wear a gown of pale green silk celine, trimmed with gold lace and garnitures of pink rosebuds. She will carry a bouquet of day-break bridal roses. The maid of honor's gown will be of modest white, lace trimmed, she carrying white carnations.

There is a magnificent array of wedding gifts, including cut glass, silverware, china and beautiful hand-made articles from the bride's most intimate friends. The groom's gift to the bride is a pearl necklace. The bride is particularly fortunate in receiving precious heirlooms of the Eaton family, some of which are real lace kerchiefs and collars, cameos of rare value, fans, silver and necklaces.

The bride and groom intend to leave on the 2:30 train tonight for Chippewa Falls, and from there they will start on a three months' auto trip, touring Wisconsin, Minnesota and Michigan. They will be at home in Milwaukee after Sept. 1st.

The out of town relatives present are Mrs. Lutter and grandson, Austin, of Milwaukee; Mrs. D. Sizer, Sr., of Chippewa Falls; Mr. and Mrs. D. Sizer, Jr., and two sons, Eaton and Dayton, of Neenah.

The bride is one of our most worthy young women, beautiful and full of vivacity and charm. The groom is one of Milwaukee's rising business men. Their many friends join in wishing them a happy wedded life.

KONKEL-KIRSCHLING.

Anton Konkel of Grand Rapids and Miss Helen Kirschling of this city were married at St. Peter's church at 9 o'clock Tuesday morning, Rev. S. A. Elbert officiating. The attendants were Miss Martha Kirschling of Arnott, a cousin of the bride, and Anton Karth of Hatley. A reception and dancing party was given during the day and evening at Lascoski's hall on N. Second street, to which many friends of the bride party were invited.

Miss Helen wore a handsome gown of white Swiss, trimmed with baby Irish lace. Her veil was entwined with lilies of the valley and she carried a white prayer book. The bridesmaid's dress was of white mull. She also wore a white picture hat and carried a shower bouquet of white carnations.

Anton and his bride will visit for several days among relatives in this immediate vicinity and at Grand Rapids, where they will go to St. Paul, where he fills a good position in the Great Northern car shops. He is quite well known in town, having visited here frequently and is a young man of pleasing personality. Mrs. Konkel is a bright and good looking young lady, a general favorite among all who know her. She is also possessed of uncommon ability as a home maker.

Among the friends who attended the wedding from a distance were John Konkel and wife of Grand Rapids, Nick Kirschling and family of Nashwak, Minn., Mrs. John Scholtz of Grand Rapids, Minn., Miss Mary Klafka of Milwaukee, Peter Martinka and wife and Mrs. Henry Konkel of Grand Rapids, Wis.

GLINSKI-BORSKI.

There was another pretty wedding at St. Peter's church at 9 o'clock this morning, when Rev. S. A. Elbert pronounced the couple that joined in wedlock Delos E. Glinski and Miss Anna Borski. Misses Verona Glinski, sister of the groom, and Anna Worzalla assisted as bridesmaids, and John Ziperiski of Oshkosh, cousin of the bride, and John Letarski were groomsmen. The bride was attired in a gown of white Swiss, trimmed with lace, wore a veil and carried a white prayer book trimmed with lilies of the valley. Miss Glinski was dressed in pink mull, and carried pink carnations, and Miss Worzalla's dress was of light green silk tulle, and she carried daisies, both wearing picture hats. Soon after the ceremony the wedding party drove to the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Borski, one mile north-east of the city limits, just south of the Jordan road, where a reception is being held for relatives and immediate friends this afternoon and evening. Others present from a distance are Dr. and Mrs. Parowski and two children, of Chicago, Mrs. Parowski being a sister of the groom, and Mr. Jos. Ziperiski and son, George, of Oshkosh.

The groom is a well known and popular young man, the third son of Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Glinski, his father being a pioneer merchant tailor of this city, and the bride has resided in town much of the time during the past few years. She is a handsome young lady, possessing all the natural and acquired qualifications to make a good wife. They will reside with the bride's parents during the summer, returning in the fall to commence housekeeping at 512 N. First street.

There will be a meeting of the Elks this evening with initiation. All members are requested to attend. G. M. Hoeschman, E. R.

Lay Corner Stone Next Sunday.

The corner stone of the new church at Mill Creek will be laid at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon, the ceremony to be in charge of Vicar Gen. Lochman of Green Bay, assisted by Father Antonius of the same place, and a number of the neighboring clergy. The pastor, Rev. A. Forsiak, will be pleased to have a large attendance.

School Board Election.

The annual election for members of the Board of Education in the various wards of the city will be held on Tuesday evening, July 5th, at 7 o'clock. Those whose terms expire are: 1st ward, W. J. Shumway; 2d ward, M. E. Bruce; 3d ward, J. T. Clements; 4th ward, Jos. Worzalla; 5th ward, Chas. Dittman; 6th ward, L. F. Clark. The law provides that the election shall be held at 7 o'clock, but does not require the polls to remain open any definite time.

OVER ONE HUNDRED FINISH

Seventy-four Members of Advanced Course and 30 Elementaries to Graduate From Normal Tomorrow.

Sixteenth annual commencement exercises will be held at the Stevens Point Normal school Thursday morning of this week, when 74 members of the advanced course will receive diplomas and certificates will be presented the 30 elementary graduates. The exercises commence at 10 o'clock, when the following program will be carried out: Invocation..... Rev. John A. Stemen Oh, Italia, Italia..... Donizetti Mixed Chorus..... Hazel J. Brooks The Value of Classics as School Studies..... Mayme M. Roach Vocal Solo..... Gypsy Love Song..... Henry M. Halverson Victor Herbert

The House Fly as a Spreader of Disease..... Josephine Collins Domestic Science as a Factor in the Development of Girls..... Amy I. Bloye Voices of the Woods..... Rubinstein Treble Clef Club The Playground Movement..... Luella L. Meinke Taking the United States Census..... Milo Wood Presentation of Certificates and Diplomas

Male Quartette—Pirate's Wooing, Scott Messrs. Hill, Wells, Halverson, Steiner

Farmers' Basket Picnic.

On Wednesday next, the 22d inst., there will be a Farmers' Basket Picnic at Blehove Lake, in the town of New Hope. Among the speakers will be Ira M. J. Chryst, president of the state union, A. S. of E. Senator Browne and Prof. Onstad, principal of the Wittenberg Academy. The Wittenberg band will furnish music. Blehove Lake is situated one mile west of the old New Hope church.

ENJOYED THEMSELVES

Excellent Program Carried Out at Annual Gathering of Old Settlers' Club—Officers Re-elected.

It was truly a happy gathering that assembled on the court house square last Saturday, when the Old Settlers' club of Portage county held their annual picnic, social session and business meeting. While the number present was not as large as it should have been, it was nevertheless a representative one, several of the "oldest settlers" spending the day in renewing acquaintances and talking over by-gone events. In some instances old friends met for the first time in over forty years, or since they were school chums together, and to these and others it was a happy "home coming." A basket picnic was served on the court house lawn, in the shade of stately elms, between 12 and 1:30, most of the visitors and local citizens present being supplied with well-filled baskets, and warm coffee was also served.

Shortly before 2 o'clock, when Pres. J. W. Strope called the meeting to order, every seat and many additional chairs in the circuit court room were occupied. Mr. Strope made a short address, and Rev. J. A. Stemen pronounced the benediction. The first address of welcome ever delivered since the Old Settlers' club was organized at the court house, eighteen years ago, was then made by Mayor Walters. He spoke of the hardships endured by the pioneers, commended their successors and took a very optimistic view of the future of Portage county. Chas. Downie, Stevens Point's favorite baritone, with Miss Rood as accompanist, rendered a couple of songs, and before the meeting was over was again called upon and pleasantly responded. Secretary J. B. Dawley read the minutes of the last annual gathering and presented his report giving the number and names of those who had passed away during the year, as published last week. Mrs. J. A. Stemen gave "The Husking" in her inimitable manner, and in response to an encore gave another recitation, "Grandmother Gray." The principal address of the afternoon was delivered by D. I. Sickelsteil, who while not yet eligible to membership in the club, as one must live in the county for 32 years before being entitled to that honor, he nevertheless talked like an "old timer" and effused facts heretofore known only in ancient history.

J. W. Strope was re-elected as president and J. B. Dawley as secretary and treasurer, both selections being made by acclamation. They will select the place for holding the next annual meeting, but it seemed to be the consensus of opinion that the court house square is not so unfavorable a place after all.

THEY HAVE A FINE OUTING

A. R. Week and Party Make Auto Trip to Wausau, Merrill and Rhinelander, Last Week.

Three Stevens Pointers are under a delightful obligation to A. R. Week for a delightful outing he afforded them last Friday evening and Saturday. Mr. Week, J. W. Dunagan, P. J. Jacobs and John W. Glenon left here at 5:30 o'clock Friday for the north and less than two hours later registered at Hotel Bellis, Wausau. In the meantime the party devoted a half hour to looking over the immense paper mill and dam being erected by Wausau capitalists at Rothchild, about four miles below that city. The magnitude of this undertaking is hardly conceivable. A dam of solid concrete is being built the entire width of the Wisconsin river and each of the half dozen or more buildings is put up of material and in a manner that will endure for ages. We don't wish to make our readers' heads ache by quoting sizes and dimensions, but some slight idea of the immensity of the plant may be gained when it is stated that the brick smokestack is 150 feet in height and ten feet in diameter at the top. One of the buildings rests on a concrete foundation twenty feet in thickness.

Immediately after supper the auto party drove to Merrill, where they remained over night, and at 8 o'clock next morning started on the 42 mile ride to Rhinelander, which distance was covered in two and one-half hours. For five miles above Bundy an alleged attempt is being made to improve the highway, making it almost impassable the entire distance, but except for this stretch the roads were in fine condition.

During the several hours' stay at Rhinelander the visitors had the pleasure of greeting many former Stevens Pointers, among them being A. W. W. E., Ed. O. and Walter Brown, Matt Stapleton and family, Paul Browne, M. Bronk, Harry Raymond, L. A. Leadbetter, Mrs. M. Weisen, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Chafee, Martin Lally, Alex and John Sutton, Sam Chevien and Will Schaefer.

At half-past three o'clock Saturday afternoon the return journey was begun and at 9 o'clock that evening Mr. Week's guests alighted at their homes after covering a distance of 190 miles without a mishap or unpleasant incident.

Lodge Fifty Years Old.

A. M. Nelson spent Monday night at Waupaca, where he attended a banquet given to commemorate the 50th anniversary of Waupaca Lodge, No. 123, F. & A. M., one of the oldest Masonic lodges in the state. There were over 300 in attendance, and a fine program of addresses and music was carried out. Only one of the original eleven who were charter members is still living, Asa Worden of Weyauwega, and he was present. Mr. Nelson has been a member of the Waupaca lodge for 43 years.

Fifty-three years ago, on the same date, A. M. and his two brothers, Isaac of Scandinavia, and Jas. J. of Amherst, landed on the most northern port on the Wolf river, now called Northport, direct from Norway with a number of others, and walked through the woods to Scandinavia, a distance of about twenty miles. This was before a wagon road had been laid out.

CHART PITT, THE POET

Former Portage County Man Wins Prize Offered by National Organ of the Modern Woodmen of America.

"The Modern Woodman," the official organ of the Modern Woodmen of America organization, recently offered a prize of \$10 to the person who would write the best poem on "Mother" for mother's day. More than thirteen hundred poems were received from all parts of the land, many of unusual merit, but the judges, headed by Hon. Robt. Rexdale, a noted author, decided in favor of the following, written by Chart Pitt, of Joseph, Idaho. Mr. Pitt is a former resident of this county, a brother of Thos. J. Pitt, of Eau Claire, county supervisor of assessments, and lived here for several years previous to his removal to the west. He is pronounced by the Woodman as a "real poet."

THE WATCHER.

The cricket calls when the twilight falls Across the sage and sand: The wind whistles o'er the marching dunes. Where the lone spoked-wheels stand. The mirage sways where the locust sings And the faint coyotes roam: And unseen hands sweep o'er the sands A mist built scene from home. There Mother was by the open gate. When the sunset pictures fade: But turn away when the shadows gray. Creep out from the old smokestack. With winding feet she counts the years And totters 'neath their load: How her heart must yearn as her dim eyes turn To the bend of the long white road. She watches a star 'til it sinks afar. Out where the blue hills rise. She burdens her rest with a faithful quest. And knows and fears she spends the years. And knows a broken toy: When night winds moan she sits alone, And waits for her wandering boy. But the night bird trills by the lone sad hills. And the mirage-pictures fade: And he lifts his hands from the heartless sands. Where the phantom hosts parade. He speeds his flight through the trackless night. Where the deadly sand-storms moan: And a Mother's prayer will blow him there. On the trail that leads him home.

Marriage License.

J. R. Dailey, Hancock, to Grace Adams, Pine Grove. Theo. Marzolek, Superior, to Frances Landowski, Sharon. Mary Miller Bonetti, Stevens Point, to Emmet J. Lallie, Grand Rapids. Hans Berg to Ella Diver, both of New Hope.

TWAS A BIG SUCCESS

Normal Senior Class Play is Well Carried Out at Grand Opera House Last Monday Evening.

A huge success artistically, financially and in every other respect was the Normal Senior class play at Grand Opera House last Monday evening, when "The College Widow" was presented under the direction of Miss Martha Williams and Prof. E. T. Smith of the faculty. The undertaking was far beyond anything ever before attempted in the amateur theatrical line here, as there are eighteen speaking parts in the play and a majority of these characters are "heavy." Every seat in the house was sold long in advance of the production, and "nigger heaven" was packed to the limit. The big audience undoubtedly acted as an incentive to those on the stage, as each carried out his or her part to perfection.

Ella Langenberg as Jane Wither- spoon, "the college widow," was easily the star, and although the role was a difficult one because of the various moods called for, she assumed the character as well as a professional. Marie Thorne, Margaret Dorney and May McNeel are the three other young ladies who took prominent parts, which they enacted without a hitch. Beatrice Bachman, Mayme Roach, Ella Pratt, Stella Murat, a bait dozen good looking seniors, lent enthusiasm to the play as town girls.

The male characters were taken by Leo Pierce, Wm. F. Dineen, John F. Weinberger, Paul Collins, Nugent Glenon, Mark Billings, Raymond Birdsall, Fred Somers, Davis Kumm, Carl Katrondahl, Kenneth Halverson, Edward Mach, Conover McMill and Paul Carlson, each of whom did finely.

The plot of the play is founded upon athletic rivalry existing between Atwater and Bingham colleges and centers about a Thanksgiving football game which finally is won by Atwater, 6 to 5. The hero of the game is Billy Bolton, a halfback, (Leo Pierce) who is induced to enroll at Atwater through the wiles of the "college widow," although Bolton was implicitly instructed by his rich father to become a passive student at the other school. As might be expected, Bolton finally succeeds in capturing the heart and hand of fair Jane and "they live happily ever after." Much comedy is injected into the play by characters assumed by Glenon, Billings, Kumm, Mach and Marie Dorney.

NOTES.

While the girls who took part in the Normal Senior class play last Monday evening looked "too sweet for anything" without having to apply cosmetics or other foreign dope to their fair faces, the boys have no hesitation in admitting that they were "made up" for the occasion. Several of the young men were so thoroughly disguised that their nearest friends did not know them for a time. C. G. Macnish served as make-up man, a duty that he has performed frequently at amateur theatricals, and always with satisfaction.

Pleasant features of the evening's entertainment were the Normal orchestra selections, under the direction of Miss Mennal. This is a musical organization that our people may well be proud of.

Gross receipts of the entertainment amounted to \$208, and the expenses will be about \$70, leaving a balance in the Senior class treasury of \$125 to \$140.

Taking Forced Vacation.

Miss Genevieve McAuliffe came home from Mellen a few days ago to spend a vacation of two or three weeks. Miss McAuliffe has been clerking in the Meredith Mercantile Co. store at that place for several months. One week ago last Sunday night burglars effected an entrance and blew open the safe, but secured only about \$25. The stock, however, was set on fire by the explosives and badly damaged, while the building was also considerably wrecked. This was the second time within a month that the store had been entered by robbers.

Old Timer Attends Picnic.

Let Wyatt, of Ringle, Marathon county, whose parents were among the pioneers of Portage county and the first residents of the village of Plover, spent Saturday in the city, coming down to attend the Old Settlers' picnic and mingle among boyhood friends, of whom comparatively few are left. Mr. Wyatt, who was engaged in lumbering for years, is now located upon a fine farm eleven miles east of Wausau and four miles from the village of Ringle. He is a cousin of A. F. Wyatt, our register of deeds, but unlike the latter, has always been a staunch Democrat.

Goes to Grant County Church.

Rev. R. Katerndahl, for the past five years in charge of the Friedens congregation in this city, whose church property is located at the corner of Dixon street and Center avenue, has accepted an unsolicited call to Stitzer, Grant county, eight miles northeast of Lancaster, and will preach there next Sunday. The church society at Stitzer is much larger than the one here, with consequently better inducements in other respects, so that Mr. Katerndahl felt in duty bound to go. His son, Carl, will take up the study of medicine in Chicago next fall. Rev. and Mrs. Katerndahl have made many good friends during their residence in Stevens Point and the best wishes of all will follow them to their new home in that prosperous portion of southern Wisconsin.

It is believed that a successor can be secured within a few weeks.

Episcopal Missionaries Coming.

Rev. and Mrs. John Henry Hopkins, of Chicago, will spend Thursday in the city, and at 3 o'clock in the afternoon the latter will address the ladies at Guild hall. In the evening at 7:45, Father Hopkins, who is engaged in missionary work for the Episcopal church and is secretary of what is known as the 5th department, will conduct services and deliver a sermon at the church. All are invited.

Tomorrow's Band Concert.

The following excellent program will be given at the regular weekly band concert at court house park Thursday evening of this week: March—"Superbus"..... Rockwell Overture—"Down the Mississippi"..... Laurens Intermezzo—"Cavalleria Rustica"..... Burt Cornet Solo—"Dear Old Dear"..... Max Friday Reverie—"Sicilian Chimes"..... Mills (by request) March—"The Moose"..... Flath

YES, WE WILL CELEBRATE

Stevens Point Will Observe the Coming Fourth of July in the Good Old Fashioned Way.

The meeting held at the council chamber last Wednesday evening, in response to an announcement published that afternoon, brought out a number of enthusiasts for a 4th of July celebration. It is proposed to have a good old-fashioned time, with a parade in the forenoon and sports of all kinds on land and water, including launch races on the river. The principal events will be held on Main street and the public square, with fireworks in the evening, the full program to be completed when the finance committee make their report. It is hoped they will receive a liberal response from all good citizens who appreciate and enjoy a loyal observance of America's greatest holiday. Officers and committees were selected as follows:

Chairman—Dr. P. A. Walters. Secretary—T. L. McGlachlin. Treasurer—R. B. Johnson. Marshal of the Day—Alonso Myers. Finance—A. E. Bourn, C. E. Emmons, M. E. Bruce, N. M. Urbanowski, Mrs. R. A. Cook and Mrs. W. W. Taylor.

Parade—G. E. Morrill, J. W. Strope, C. W. Simonson, E. W. Sellers, Alonso Myers, C. M. Chamberlain. Carriages—G. L. Park, Mrs. A. C. Krembs, Mrs. F. A. Ball, Mrs. H. D. Boston, Mrs. T. H. Hanna.

Automobiles—J. M. Bischoff, H. J. Week, D. E. Frost, Mrs. W. W. Gregory, Mrs. H. J. Finch. Pageant—H. H. Pagel, H. J. Week, R. B. Johnson, F. A. Southwick, Miss Martha Week, Mrs. T. L. McGlachlin, Mrs. W. B. Eddy, Miss Anna Clark, Miss Ellida Moen.

Ragamuffins—M. E. Bruce, J. Ciecholski, Franz Krembs. Entertainment—F. S. Hyer, J. N. Davis.

Music—W. J. Shumway, F. K. Sechrist, C. A. Schenk, Mrs. T. H. Hay, Miss Ball.

Window and Building Decorations—C. G. Macnish, Wm. Moll, Win Rothman, J. Worzalla, C. F. Hass, Mrs. C. B. Baker, Miss Lillian Arnott. Fireworks—F. A. Krembs, E. W. Neumann, A. Ringness, Elmar Pendergrast, L. A. Krembs, Frank Peickert, A. H. Heinig, T. L. McGlachlin.

Merchant and Manufacturers—A. C. Krembs, W. H. Coye, A. M. Copps, A. E. Bourn.

Sports—T. L. McGlachlin, G. M. Houlehan, Alex Ringness, A. M. Copps, A. C. Krembs, F. A. Krembs, W. Branta.

Launch Parade—H. J. Finch, C. F. Martin, W. W. Gregory, Mrs. W. F. Lusk, Miss Jessie Hawn.

Printing and Advertising—R. K. McDonald, W. E. Atwell, Henry Curran.

Bicycle Smashes Fingers.

A very painful and distressing accident occurred at the farm home of Mr. and Mrs. Nic Britz, in the town of Linwood, at about 9 o'clock Monday morning, when their little 6 year old son, Martin, in playing with a bicycle, which had been placed in the granary, got the second and third fingers on his right hand caught between the chain and sprocket of the rear wheel which he was engaged in spinning. The fingers were so badly cut and lacerated that they were amputated above the first joint by the Drs. von Neupert.

A Birthday Surprise.

Mrs. William White, who with her husband lives on a farm a short distance below Plover village, was 70 years of age last Thursday and in honor of this important event nearly fifty relatives and friends planned and successfully carried out a surprise on Aunt Mary Jane. Shortly before the noon hour a procession of vehicles nearly a half mile in length wended its way to the White household and a few minutes later there were uncovered numerous baskets containing good things to eat, brought along by the guests. A bountiful dinner was provided after which several happy hours were passed with the venerable couple. Among the older people present were Messrs. and Mesdames Geo. Newby, Remy Washburn, Louis Precourt, Fred Huntley, Earl Carley, Nelson Newby, Gilbert Newby, Ernest Bennett, Worth Altenburg, W. J. Newby, Chas. Newby, Myron Barker, Mesdames S. Carley, Jay Bennett, W. F. Fieber, Edward Lee, Chas. Smith, Thos. Newby, Jas. Isherwood, Will Danforth, John Moss, Chas. White, Tom Hodgen, Earl Newby, Anton Green, Walter Smith, Harvey Smith, Misses Mame Smith and Vera Bennett, Mr. Ira Barker.

TEACHERS AND JANITORS

Selections Made by Board of Education Last Monday Evening—Repairs and Alterations in School Buildings.

All members except Wm. F. Cartmell attended the monthly meeting of the Board of Education, Monday evening. Miss Ethel Wood, of Appleton, who had been engaged as teacher of English in the High school, wrote that she had accepted another position, and her resignation was accepted.

Supt. Davis asked for a couple of changes in books now used in the schools, and J. T. Clements and W. S. Young, the other members of the text book committee, recommended the change. The change is in geographies and literary reading, one book in the former now taking the place of two now used, and is up-to-date in Wisconsin facts, while the literary book will deal with American history, rather than foreign. The change will not prove a burden on any pupil, the exchange price being small. The recommendation was accepted.

The special committee appointed at the last meeting to look over the High school with a view of remodeling the third floor into study and recitation rooms, recommended that this be done and be ready for use before Sept. 1st. Before the close of the meeting, T. W. Wing, a Chicago architect, and a brother-in-law of Mr. Clements, submitted a sketch that he had prepared for remodeling the floor, which would contain one large assembly room, 20x40 feet, and rooms for the drawing, art and domestic science departments, the latter to be moved from the basement, thereby giving more space for manual training. The assembly room, to be occupied by High school students, will relieve the crowded condition of the room on the second floor, which has held 215 pupils during the past year, with a prospect of a number of more next year. The estimated cost is between \$2,000 and \$2,500, and the remodeling will include skylights. Mr. Wing was engaged to prepare the plans, he to receive 5 per cent. of the cost of the work. The teachers' committee reported as follows:

That Nellie Reading be transferred from assistant to teacher of deaf to the grades at \$47.50 per month; that Bessie H. Dunning of Omro be engaged as teacher of English in High school at \$65; W. A. Baldauf of Weyauwega for science department at \$90; the salary of Miss Leda Barrows, as clerk and librarian, increased from \$8 to \$10 per week, and janitors re-engaged as follows: First ward, Mike Neuman, \$47.50; Third ward, J. E. Rogers, \$40; Fourth ward, Joseph Jakubowski, \$45; Fifth ward, C. F. Sparks, \$45; High school, Martin Spellman, \$55; also the engagement of C. F. Sparks and J. Jakubowski as repair men under the direction of the supply committee during the summer months at the rate of \$45 per month. The report was unanimously adopted.

The committee on supplies and repairs presented a long list of work, re-modeling, re-painting, degrading, etc., in and on the various school buildings during vacation, including the raising of the 4th ward kindergarten, new cement floors and lath and plaster in the 3d ward basement, and matting and painting in the High school. The committee was authorized to have the work done.

The clerk reported having received the sum of \$150 for old books and a total of \$122.10 from the manual training department.

Supt. Davis reported that there would be about \$500 left in the treasury belonging to the deaf department, and as there are now 10 pupils in sight for next year, meaning an additional \$2,500 to be received from the state, would make a total of \$3,000. Mr. Davis said he would have a report of work done by the trustee officer, as well as a list of all property owned by the board, to present at the next meeting. The Senior class has presented the High school with a valuable electric clock. To get a good instructor for the deaf school, he said, a good salary must be paid, and we have been paying less than any other city in the state of the same size.

The rules now enforced by the water company, Mr. Davis said, makes it impossible to keep the school lawns and flower beds in decent condition, and on his recommendation a committee consisting of Young, Blood and Clements will wait upon the rate commission when they visit this city in a few days. The clerk was authorized to advertise for bids to build a new cement walk on the east side of the High school and for a cement floor in the Third ward building.

Bids for coal were read as follows: Gross & Jacobs, \$4.98 per ton; T. Olsen, dock screened, \$4.89; mine screened, \$4.69; E. M. Copps & Co., \$4.80. The contract was awarded to T. Olsen at \$4.69.

Vaudeville at the Grand.

This evening and Thursday evening "Roosevelt in Africa," the original pictures of our great hunter and explorer, will be shown at the Grand. A vaudeville circuit consisting of Stevens Point, Marshfield and Grand Rapids has been formed, the entertainments to be given in this city at the Grand, commencing next Monday. The participants will comprise some of the most clever vaudeville performers on the road, with two changes in program next week and three changes each week thereafter.

A Bargain For You.

The residence and lot at 516 Strong avenue, in the heart of the city, must be sold at once, as the owner is going away. The property can be bought for \$1,000, all cash or part payment, with reasonable interest. All in first class condition. Enquire at 112 N. Division street, city.

KANSAS MAN GIVES STRONG TESTIMONY



William O. McFarland, a well known resident of Wichita, Kansas, living at 607 North Water street, that city, is a strong believer in the efficacy of Cooper's New Discovery. In a recent

statement Mr. McFarland says: "As an after-effect of typhoid fever and the grip, I have suffered with stomach trouble for the past three years. I had no appetite, and did not get the proper nourishment from my food. As a result I was very weak, and felt tired and worn out, having no energy nor ambition. I experienced a feeling of heaviness in my stomach and belched a great deal of gas. I tried a number of remedies that were recommended to me and took treatment from several physicians, without any permanent benefit.

"I finally decided to try Cooper's New Discovery, after noticing a number of advertisements in the newspapers regarding it. I found it all that it was claimed to be. Within a few weeks the belching had ceased entirely, and the feeling of heaviness and distress disappeared. I began to relish my meals and soon gained in strength and weight. I was greatly surprised with the prompt action of the medicine, and gratified with the results I obtained from its use."

Persons afflicted with worn-out stomachs should try Cooper's New Discovery. There is a heavy demand for the Cooper remedies, for which we are agents in this community. H. D. McCulloch Co.

WRITES ON SOCIALISM

Correspondent Wants to Christianize Socialists, Rather Than Turn a Deaf Ear to Their Doctrines.

Many critics of Socialism think and say that it is detrimental to the church and state. It seems that every new movement leading to reform is criticized, misjudged and abused until the people realize that, with all their opposing, it has still crept to the front and is really a benefit to mankind.

Washington, our country's hero, although he suffered much and gave his life willingly for his country, feared that the people were incapable of governing themselves. To tell the truth, it did look very much so in our country's infancy; our leading statesmen were continually quarreling among themselves, each thinking the other was trying to make a Kingdom of America. We have since proven what we can do in self governing, for we are now the leading nation in the world.

There is still room for improvement and reform, and there always will be until the end of time. The cause the people must fight now is capitalism. Capital is the cause and the root of the tree of evil that now needs our attention. If the present system continues, the wealth of the earth in a short time will accumulate into the hands of a few, and these few will naturally take advantage of their power, and control everything and everybody. This is not a theory, it is a fact. Capital at present controls over two-thirds, if not the whole of the United States. Can we sit with our hands in our pockets letting this go on without making an effort to stop it? We probably cannot take the wealth away from our rich, but we can make laws forcing them to use it in an honest way.

Socialism is coming to the front; it cannot be held back; it is now too late. Of course there are many things advocated by socialists that seem and probably are unreasonable, but these things need never be accepted by the people. The unfavorable can be discarded and the good put to use. Socialism will evolve and expand until there is as much difference between modern socialism and Marxism, as there is between black and white.

Our Catholic church and also some Protestant churches, fear socialism because socialism as Marx and Engels taught it, was atheistic and opposed to Christianity. If the people take all of the teachings of the above socialists, or what ever they were called in their time, it is true that Christianity, and even the belief in a personal God, will in a short time be a thing of the past. But this a true Christian will never fear. Jesus Christ told us that His church would live forever.

When God gives us his own word that the Christian church is immortal, why should we fear a reform movement or political party that is fighting capitalism—the worst enemy to Christianity, and which is at present worshipping mammon, not God. Anyhow if socialists are opposed to Christianity it is our duty to correct their errors for them and put them on the right track. The only way this can be done is to help them and encourage them in works that we know are benefitting to the people; by doing this we can most likely get them to listen to us and our views, thereby, bringing them back to Christianity.

GRADUATE FROM STEVENS POINT NORMAL

Names and Addresses of Young People Who Finish Full and Elementary Courses at State School—Subjects of Their Theses.

Below we print a complete list of the 1909-10 graduates from the Stevens Point Normal school, nearly all of whom will receive their diplomas or certificates at commencement exercises tomorrow morning:

FULL COURSE	
Archambault, Leocadie	Phillips
Bachman, Beatrice	Mosinee
Barrows, Georgia Louise	Stevens Point
Bentson, Marie	Viroqua
Bliefnigh, Josephine	Tomahawk
Bloye, Amy I	Stevens Point
Brickson, Sarah	Stoughton
Brooks, Hazel J.	Grant
Brown, Beatrice	Westfield
Cartmill, Merle	Stevens Point
Cole, Fanny E.	Marshfield
Collins, Josephine	Wausau
Crockett, Ina	Westfield
Dorney, Margaret	Stevens Point
Dumas, Julia J.	Stevens Point
Dunn, Phebe	Portage
Dysland, Emma	Green Bay
Emmons, Stella	Grand Rapids
Faber, Minnie	Marshfield
Fox, Charlotte L.	Chippewa Falls
Fromme, Edward A.	Hamburg
Gilbertson, Christine	Hixton
Hafsoos, Gladys Evelyn	Stevens Point
Haner, Vivian	Eau Claire
Halverson, Henry	Stevens Point
Hennessey, Amy	Hayward
Holz, Hilda	Scandinavia
Jackway, Gail Winifred	Stevens Point
Johnson, Lulu	Hammond
Johnston, Anna Olivia	Maiden Rock
Kappler, Mae	Lake City, Minn.
Kollock, Ruth	Stevens Point
La Duke, Eva	Oconto
Langenberg, Ella	Stevens Point
MacLennan, Christie	Rib Lake
Maloney, Katherine	Arcadia
Marson, Mary Susan	Wausau
Martin, Hermie	New Lisbon
Mathe, Louise	Stevens Point
McDill, Allan Conover	Stevens Point
McFadden, Kate	Eau Claire
McNeel, Mae H.	Kilbourn
Meinke, Luella	Westfield
Murat, Stella	Stevens Point
Myers, Marion	Neillsville
Niven, Jessie	Sheridan
Norton, Emma	Plover
Oesterle, Frances M.	Stevens Point
Parmeter, Florence	Stevens Point
Pratt, Ella M.	Plainfield
Prosz, Emma	Pittsville
Quien, Bessie	Scandinavia
Ramsey, Esther Nerle	Eau Claire
Rifeman, Armlida	Wausau
Roach, Mayme M.	Eau Claire
Rudolph, Minnie	Medford
Schoepf, Elizabeth D.	Alma
Scott, Maude	Tomahawk
Shafter, Anna	Hayward
Somers, Fred C.	Merrill
Steiner, Herbert R.	Elk Mound
Swan, Jessie	Stevens Point
Thompson, Esther	Elmwood
Thompson, Lila K.	Menominee
Thorne, Marie	Menominee
Udell, Myra	Pittsville
Warnecke, Alma	Marshfield
Weinberger, John F.	Chippewa Falls
Wells, Albert S.	Pittsville
Whitney, Inez J.	Stevens Point
Wilson, Hazel	Stevens Point
Wood, Milo	Stevens Point
Wood, Viola E.	Hancock
Zeigler, Florence	LaCrosse
Allen, Mattie C.	Ettrick
Baldwin, Walter M.	Symco
Barnard, Annie E.	Brillion
Barnesdale, Eva	Plover
Bentson, Myrle Elevina	Schofield
Brady, C. Helen M.	Bancroft
Bucklin, Myra	Wausau
Campion, Florence	Montello
Dodge, Earl L.	Chetek
Ellis, Pearl I.	White Creek
Guenther, Irene A.	Knafon
Halverson, Kenneth R.	Stevens Point
Hein, Leo F. A.	Stevens Point
Kingston, Agnes A.	Three Lakes
Knight, Florence Agnes	Wauvava
Little, Julia	Grand Rapids
MacBride, Frances	Grant
Owen, Elizabeth	Stevens Point
Peterson, Clara	Scandinavia
Robinson, Anna	Scandinavia
Rollefson, Odella	Scandinavia
Ross, Florence M.	Stevens Point
Rowe, Emma Caroline	Stevens Point
Sullivan, Alice L.	Revolution
Sustins, Nannie	Stevens Point
Tufta, Clara	Stevens Point
Wanbon, Lillie Inanda	Scandinavia
Warner, Isla B.	Stevens Point
Yahr, Anna A.	Unity
Yahr, Minnie A.	Unity

ELEMENTARY COURSE	
Allen, Mattie C.	Ettrick
Baldwin, Walter M.	Symco
Barnard, Annie E.	Brillion
Barnesdale, Eva	Plover
Bentson, Myrle Elevina	Schofield
Brady, C. Helen M.	Bancroft
Bucklin, Myra	Wausau
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Pathfinding Tour Completed.

Preparations for the endurance run of the Wisconsin State Automobile Association, for the Milwaukee Sentinel Trophy, on July 18-22 inclusive, are progressing rapidly. The pathfinding tour of the run was successfully completed May 23, and excellent speedometer readings and instructions to accompany same were secured to cover the entire route, as well as pictures of the more difficult points.

The tour of the pathfinding car over the route intended was an arduous and difficult one, owing to the very bad mud and rough roads prevailing during May. By the time the endurance run is made, in July, the roads should, however, be in good condition throughout this route, and a fair average test of the cars over all sorts of Wisconsin roads when the latter are in their normal state.

Entry blanks for the contest have been printed and are now being distributed, and it is expected that many entries will be received, as there is much enthusiasm among motorists over the event and a number have already signified their intention to participate.

A tour book is in course of preparation, which will contain full maps and speedometer readings for the route, as well as much other valuable information for motorists, and it is expected that this will be ready to distribute by July 15 or earlier. Meantime, all who want to obtain entry blanks or data of any sort in regard to the trip should apply to M. C. Moore, President of the Wisconsin State Automobile Association.

tion, 308 Montgomery Bldg., Milwaukee, or to Jas. T. Drought, Sec'y of the association, Railway Exchange Bldg., Milwaukee, or to Geo. A. West, Chairman Contest Committee, 1216 Railway Exchange Bldg., Milwaukee. These officials will take pleasure in fully and promptly posting all who are interested.

Denatured Kicking.
New Jersey has a mayor who asks the citizens to come around once a week and register their kicks. Yes, and no doubt he has a bulky chief of police and several brawny patrolmen standing around to intimidate the kickers.

County Treasurer's Report.

The report of County Treasurer Dake for the month ending May 31, 1910, is as follows:	
Cash in Treasury May 1, 1910	\$15,922.73
Received during month	2,800.53
Total	\$18,723.26
DISBURSEMENTS.	
Telephone rent	8.25
Witness fees	1.00
Sept. Salary	225.00
Postage	1.00
Dist. Atty. orders	1.00
Portage County Drainage	1,227.28
Public Administration	3.88
County orders	1,820.77
Court certificates	24.10
Total	\$2,492.17
In Bank	\$15,128.65
Cash on hand	107.14
Total	\$15,235.79
Balance in treasury May 1, 1910	\$15,235.79

Local News Notes.

Harold J. Week has been spending a few days in Chicago.

Mrs. Matt Ryan spent a part of last week visiting among friends in Chicago. John Demmerly, of McDill, was among the numerous visitors to the city last Saturday.

Tent, 22x36 feet, with 8-foot sides, for rent for parties, picnics, etc. Enquire of V. S. Fraia, mylltf

For sale, pleasant residence and lots on N. Second street. Bargain for some one. Enquire of Teofil Krutza, tf

Housekeeper wanted—Must be neat and clean; three in family. Address 600 Illinois avenue, Stevens Point, Wis.

Mr. and Mrs. John Schwartz, of the town of Plover, were visitors to the city and callers upon The Gazette last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Brown and son have gone to the Waupaca lakes to occupy their cottage for the summer months.

Miss Daisy Dake returned from Bowman, N. D., the last of the week, where she visited her brothers on their respective homesteads.

Dennis Higgins, who is numbered among the prosperous young farmers of Stockton, was a business and social visitor in the city on Saturday.

Mrs. John Margraf and little son, of Abbotsford, came down the last of the week to visit for a few days with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Will Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Dusel, who reside in the southeast corner of the town of Stockton, eighteen miles from the city, spent Friday in Stevens Point on business.

Dr. M. A. Hadcock returned to the city Thursday morning after spending several weeks on a business trip to Bartlesville, and other points in Oklahoma.

J. R. Congdon returned from Fordwick, Va., last Thursday morning, where he spent a month visiting his son, James J., and brother-in-law, Russell Hawn.

Peter Trierweiler, Jr., horse shoeing, general blacksmithing and all kinds of wood working. Special attention given to all work. Replacing and putting on rubber tires. Brick shop, 308 Clark street.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Moe, of the town of Iola, Waupaca county, spent a few days in the city previous to Monday morning, guests at the home of his brother-in-law, P. J. Bresnahan, on Strong's avenue.

When in need of coal call up T. Olsen, phone 54. Consider these prices: Red Hot coal, \$6.50 per ton; Cast Iron coal, 6.25; Hocking Valley, \$5.75; Watson's, \$5; hard coal, all sizes, \$9; Pocahontas, screened, \$7.25.

"A subscriber," writing from Lankark, is respectfully informed that The Gazette does not publish communications unless we know who the party is that writes the same, especially of the kind that was received last week.

Harry Neuwald, who has been employed for some time in a wholesale store at Blue Fields, West Virginia, a large and prosperous mining city, arrived here the middle of last week to spend several days with his parents, after an absence of six years.

Misses Winnie and Doris Shumway, both of whom have spent the past year at Houston, Texas, returned home on Thursday last. The former has held the position of supervisor of music in the public schools of that city, and expects to return there next year.

We have arrangements with Wm. J. Bryan whereby, for a limited time, we will give an annual subscription to his paper, without additional cost, to each new subscriber to our paper and to each present subscriber who pays all arrears and one year in advance.

The surviving veterans of the 15th Wisconsin Infantry and the 12th Wisconsin battery will hold a joint reunion in this city on the 2d, 3d and 4th of August, arrangements for which gathering have already been commenced. The local committee consists of Walter Whittaker, Truman Rice and Henry Johnson.

There was a large attendance at the band concert last Thursday evening, and the excellent program rendered was enjoyed by a good-natured, orderly assemblage. These open air concerts are always enjoyed, and it is a pleasure to note the constant improvement being made by our local band, which is recognized as one of the best in Central Wisconsin.

Mr. and Mrs. Patrick O'Keefe, former life-long residents of this county, but who now reside about midway between Green Bay and DePere, arrived here on Thursday to visit among relatives and friends in the city and town of Stockton. They have one of the best farms in Brown county, purchased about one year ago, but still own their old homestead in Stockton, which is for sale.



Oldest Immigrant Arrives.

A New York dispatch says: Peter Beckel, who arrived at Ellis Island, off the steamship Amerika, is the oldest immigrant that has arrived at this port. Peter is 107 years old, and is accompanied by his son, George, 85 years old; George's son, Frederick, 83 years old; Frederick's son, August, 41 years old, and August's son, William, 19 years old. He left his home in southern Germany many enroute for North Dakota, where he has some other sons farming. All except Peter and his great-grand-son were accompanied by their wives.

Fishing With Nets.

Four young men, Joseph Firkus, Jr., Ed. Bukowski, Ed. Schuda and Andrew Gollon, were arrested last Thursday night while netting bullheads at the mouth of a slough near Martin's Island, about five miles up the river. The arrests were made by Geo. H. Dietrich of this city and Wm. Mason of Janesville, deputy game wardens, who went up the river in a row boat. On being arraigned before Justice Park, Friday morning, the young men plead guilty and each paid a fine of \$25 and costs, a total of \$106. Three nets were confiscated.

The Country Weekly.

"I know of no better opening for usefulness than the well conducted country newspaper in a community that is large enough to support it," said B. B. Herbert, editor of the National Printer-Journalist and pioneer in the advocacy of college training for newspaper and magazine work, in an address before the students of the journalism course at the University of Wisconsin.

"The country paper, if made useful, can be made profitable, and you can get a world of pleasure out of the work," continued the speaker. "And if you are useful, and in pleasant work, does it matter whether you are worth \$10,000 or \$10,000,000? You are really better off on the country paper, for you are free from much worry."

"You can make yourself a power, not alone in the community in which you live, but in the country at large, for through your weekly paper you can reach and influence the country boys who, statistics show, furnish the majority of the senators, railroad managers, and presidents of the nation."

Candidate for Sheriff.

To the Voters of Portage County:—I wish to respectfully announce my candidacy for the office of Sheriff on the Republican ticket, subject to the will of the voters at the Sept. 6th primary election. Having spent my entire life in this county, I feel that I am known to a majority of the voters at least, and my present experience as undersheriff, which office I have held since Jan. 1909, and have always aimed to discharge its duties faithfully and impartially, will be of great benefit should the voters honor me with the nomination and election. Trusting that you will remember me at the Republican primaries I remain, respectfully, Geo. A. Sutherland.

Register of Deeds.

To the voters of Portage county:—I wish to announce that at the primary election next fall I shall be a candidate on the Republican ticket for nomination to the office of register of deeds, subject to the will of the voters of Portage county. Feeling grateful for the good will manifested, and the generous support accorded me in the past, and soliciting the support of the people of this county, I am, yours respectfully, C. M. Chapman.

DON C. HALL

Candidate for the Republican nomination at the 1910 September Primaries, for the office of State Senator from the Twenty-first district.

"A BUSINESS MAN for a BUSINESS MAN'S CONSIDERATION."



KC BAKING POWDER

COMPLIES WITH ALL PURE FOOD LAWS

Makes the Baking Sweeter, Lighter

Always works right
NO FAILURES
Costs YOU Less
NO TRUST PRICES

25 Ounces for 25 Cents
BEST AT ANY PRICE
or your money back



**AFTER YOU
ARE
MARRIED,
BE SURE
TO HAVE
A BANK
ACCOUNT**

That happiness and contentment that comes only through a certainty for the future is the healthy, permanent kind. A savings account starts you on that road today. No man can be his best self when cramped by poverty.

We'll pay you 8 per cent interest on the money you deposit in our bank and compound the interest every six months.

THE CITIZENS NATIONAL BANK
Capital \$100,000. Surplus \$25,000.

**LARGEST BANK IN
PORTAGE COUNTY**

BUILD HOUSES IN TREES.

Some Mexicans Thus Sleep Secure From Quakes and Tigers.

In order to protect their houses from earthquakes many of the natives in the territory around Chilpancingo and other towns in the state of Guerrero, in Mexico, live in trees. Some of these tree houses are of large size and are ingeniously constructed. Reeds and grasses are interwoven with the twigs and branches of the tree, much in the manner that a bird builds its nest. The severest wind seldom loosens it from the tree. Where the trees are large and stand closely together houses of two or three rooms are frequently built in their branches. These houses also afford protection from the tigers and other wild animals which are found in that region in large numbers. It is said that a tiger will not attack its prey unless it is upon the ground.

The prime object of elevating these houses into the trees, however, is, as mentioned, to keep them from being shaken down by the severe earthquakes which visit the Guerrero territory at frequent intervals. The rocking of the earth gives the trees a swaying motion, but does no damage to the houses. In some localities whole villages of these tree houses are to be seen. None of them suffered damage from the recent earthquakes which wrought such ruin to the buildings upon the ground.—New York Tribune.

THE PRINCE'S PRESENT.

It Was Given In Exchange For a Magnificent Carpet.

"While I was in Damascus," said a globe trotter the other day, "some royal highness or other potentate passed through that ancient city, and the governor of the town delivered an address of welcome. It was in verse, and everybody who knew of the occurrence felt sure that the governor had been richly rewarded by the prince for his efforts. That afternoon, so the story goes, the governor called on a dealer in rugs with whom he had been chaffering for a long time over a magnificent carpet which he coveted for his palace. After several cups of coffee the rug merchant offered the governor the carpet in exchange for the present the prince had given him for his poetic welcome to Damascus. The governor after a little hesitation agreed, and the carpet was rolled up and delivered to an attendant, who started for the governor's palace.

"Thank you," said the governor as he arose gracefully to his feet.

"But the prince's present?" demanded the rug merchant.

"You have it," said the governor. "All he gave me was 'Thank you,' and this I have given you for your carpet."—New York Press.

Janet's Way of Growing Young.

As a matter of fact, Janet was born exactly two years before her brother Fred; therefore in the natural course of things when he was ten she was twelve and gloried in it. When Fred was known to be fourteen she still confessed to sixteen. When Fred boasted eighteen years she timidly acknowledged herself just over nineteen. When Fred came home from college and had a party in honor of his twenty-first birthday Janet said to her friends: "What a boyish fellow Fred is! Who would think he is only a year younger than I?" When Fred declared himself twenty-five and old enough to get married Janet said to a gentleman friend: "Do you know, I feel very jealous of Fred getting married. But, then, I suppose twins always are more attached to one another." And two years later at Fred's wedding she said, with a girlish simper to the guests: "Dear old Fred! To see him married today, and to think when he was only five years old they brought him to see me, his baby sister; I wonder if he thinks of it now?"

Thought He Was Mad.

The late Count de Lesseps was traveling on one occasion in a French railway train in a compartment with two commercial travelers.

"I beg your pardon, sir," said one of them, fawning that he belonged to their fraternity—"are you not a traveler?"

"Certainly I am," said the count. "We thought so! What is your line?" "Isthmuses."

"Wh-wh-what," asked the puzzled commercial—"what are they?"

"I am introducing ship canals," said De Lesseps gravely.

The commercial travelers feared that they had fallen in with a lunatic and were making preparations to escape when the count handed them his card and put them at their ease.

The Architecture of Madeira.

We saw no suggestion of modern architecture or European innovation, no blot anywhere except a single motorcar. Without knowing anything on the subject I should say that the architecture of Madeira is a mixture of Spanish and Moorish, like that of Mexico, only it is better than anything in Mexico. From the ship the stucco, tile roofed city is flawless, and as we steam away and night comes down and lights break out and become a jeweled necklace along the water's edge our one regret is that we are leaving it all behind.—Albert Bigelow Paine in Outing Magazine.

The Easiest Way.

Dickson—Dobbins formerly opposed my views, but now he agrees with me in everything. Wickson—How do you account for it? Dickson—Don't know. I'm not sure whether I convince him or only make him tired.

The first and worst of all frauds is to cheat oneself.

AVIATION.

The Dangers Involved In Three Dimensional Steering.

The navigation of the air is a form of locomotion that differs from all the others to which men have resorted in that it involves three dimensional steering.

It is in the three dimensional nature of aviation that the real wonder of it lies. Its demands upon the aviator's attention are almost appalling in number and constancy. The automobilist has to mind what he is about not a little, and a moment's carelessness means disaster, but his divergences from safety are all horizontal. The road and gravity take care of the others for him, while the aeroplanist can make mistakes all the way around a sphere; hence, in addition to leading an attentive car to every sound from a complicated and delicate engine, he must manipulate one rudder for up and down, another for right and left and two more at the ends of his wings. And all these must be combined and co-ordinated. Water is stability itself in comparison with the medium through which he moves. When in flight, therefore, the aviator is probably the busiest man alive, and there is not an instant of rest for him till after he has made his perilous descent.—New York Times.

He Put the Brake On.

In his autobiography the late Professor Shaler of Harvard tells this story: Once he was present at a dinner in England where Tyndall, the renowned scientist, started to tell about experiences in America. His descriptions were, to say the least, exaggerated. Just as he was telling about a thrilling escape from drowning which he had had while viewing Niagara falls—describing it with bursts of hyperbole—his eye happened to catch that of Shaler, whom he had not noticed before.

For a moment Tyndall stopped, abashed—then, with wink of the eye, as if begging Shaler not to "give him away," he continued the tale, but in a noticeably subdued vein.

At its conclusion Tyndall sought Shaler.

"I fear that yarn of mine was rather highly colored," he confessed to the American, "but it is sometimes necessary to touch up the truth a bit."

More Than One Trafalgar Square.

The Scotland Yard examination which would be taxicab drivers have to undergo in the knowledge of London is no mere matter of form. "If," asked the inquisitor recently of a candidate, "a fare hails you in Trafalgar square and asks to be driven to Trafalgar square what would you do?" "I should drive him around a bit and drop him on the other side of the square," replied the candidate. And he was turned down, for he did not know that London has three Trafalgar squares besides the finest site in Europe—one in Camberwell, one in Chelsea and one in Stepney.—London Chronicle.

SCOTT'S EMULSION

is now a summer as well as a winter remedy. It has the same invigorating and strength-producing effect in summer as in winter.

Try it in a little cold milk or water.

ALL DRUGGISTS

A QUESTION OF BAIT.

Should the Beggar Leave Few or Many Cents In His Hat?

"One thing that I've never been able to settle in my mind to my own satisfaction," said a street beggar whose specialty is sitting on a step and holding out his hat to passersby, "is the question of how many pennies it is wise to have in the hat for people to see as they go by. Of course you understand there are two theories on this. Working on one you leave there only a few, just three or four pennies scattered around irregular, but pretty far apart, and on the other you leave in the hat a lot of pennies.

"Of course the idea of the first plan is to make people when they see how little you've got want to chip in and help, and the idea of the other plan is to stir people up to generosity by showing them how generous others have been, and there's a heap to be said for that. There's lots of people that give because other people have given—because they like to go with the crowd.

"I've tried both plans and had good days with lean bait and bad days with a full bait in the hat, and then I've had good days with a full bait and bad days with a lean bait. All you can do is, if one plan doesn't work well, try the other. You never can tell."—New York Sun.

His Last Place.

"But," said the merchant to the applicant, "you don't furnish any reference from your last place."

"You needn't worry about that," replied the man with the close cropped head and strange pallor; "I wouldn't be here now if it hadn't been for my good behavior in my last place."—Catholic Standard and Times.

A Great Cure.

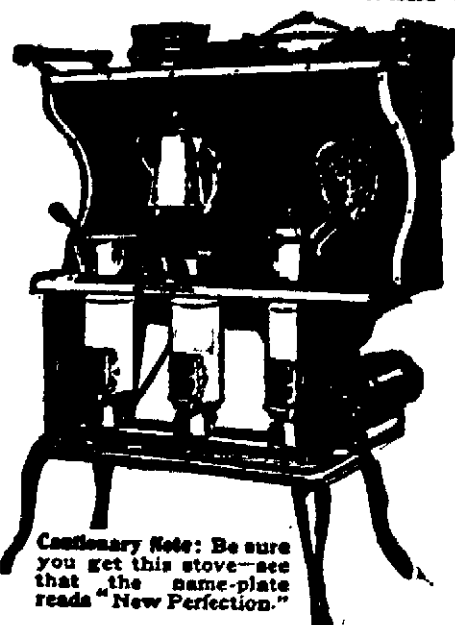
Coffa—Her hair turned perfectly white in one night from trouble. Della—Really? What was the nature of the trouble? Coffa—Chemical.—Judge's Library.

A Storekeeper Says:

"A lady came into my store lately and said: 'I have been using a New Perfection Oil Cook-Stove all winter in my apartment. I want one now for my summer home. I think these oil stoves are wonderful. If only women knew what a comfort they are, they would all have one. I spoke about my stove to a lot of my friends, and they were astonished. They thought that there was smell and smoke from an oil stove, and that it heated a room just like any other stove. I told them of my experience, and one after another they got one, and now, not one of them would give hers up for five times its cost.'"

The lady who said this had thought an oil stove was all right for quickly heating milk for a baby, or boiling a kettle of water, or to make coffee quickly in the morning, but she never dreamed of using it for difficult or heavy cooking. Now—she knows.

Do you really appreciate what a New Perfection Oil Cook-Stove means to you? No more coal to carry, no more coming to the dinner table as tired out that you can't eat. Just light a Perfection Stove and immediately the heat from an intense blue flame shoots up to the bottom of pot, kettle or oven. But the room isn't heated. There is no smoke, no smell, no outside heat, no drudgery in the kitchen where one of these stoves is used.



Cautionary Note: Be sure you get this stove—see that the name-plate reads 'New Perfection.'

New Perfection WICK-BLUE-FLAME Oil Cook-stove

It has a Cabinet Top with a shelf for keeping plates and food hot. The nickel finish, with the bright blue of the chimneys, makes the stove ornamental and attractive. Made with 1, 2 and 3 burners; the 2 and 3-burner stoves can be had with or without Cabinet.

Every dealer everywhere; if not at yours, write for Descriptive Circular to the nearest agency of the

Standard Oil Company
(Incorporated)

Father's Method.

During a recent slight illness the five-year-old Teddy, usually so amiable, badly and obstinately refused to take his medicine. After a somewhat prolonged and ineffectual argument with him his mother at last set the glass of medicine down, leaned her head on her hands and "played" that she was crying. A moment passed, and the tender hearted Teddy, unable longer to bear the sight of his mother's stricken attitude, inquired, "What's the matter, mother, dear?" Without removing her hands from her eyes she replied, "I'm grieved that my son won't take his castor oil for me." Whereupon Teddy sat up in bed and offered consolingly: "Oh, I wouldn't feel bad if I were you, mother, dear. Father will be home soon, and he'll make me take it."—Delineator.

Intrinsically.

Constituent—What do you suppose Graphiter is worth? Senator Lotsmun—I don't know what he's worth now. I bought him once when he was just starting out for \$75 and a railway pass.—Chicago Tribune.

Doubt is born of the mind; faith is the daughter of the soul.—Emerson.

AN EXPERT'S OPINION OF SKIN DISEASES.

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SOUTH SIDE AND RAILROAD

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Harold Rosenow was up from Fond du Lac to spend Sunday in the city.
Miss Alice Leahy has been spending a few days at Oshkosh and Marinette.
Rev. Anton Held went to Wittenberg yesterday and will visit until Friday with Rev. Jos. Miller and among former parishioners.
Mrs. A. J. Koshollek and children, of Wausau, are visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Hawkins, on the East Side.
On Friday last a son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ross Walton, of Fond du Lac, at the home of her father, Jason Maunders, on Wisconsin avenue in this city.
Lawrence Lamb, who is employed by the Northern Pacific at Brainerd, Minn., is at home to spend a couple of weeks with his father at the Dewey House.
Geo. L. Strong, the well known painter and decorator, is the happy father of a baby girl which arrived at his home in the Sixth ward last Wednesday.
Mrs. Herman Schroeder and baby boy returned to their home at Fond du Lac Tuesday afternoon. Her sister, Miss Anna Berndt, also went down for a visit.
Miss Kate Fulton returned yesterday from Rice Lake, Barron county, where she has been teaching the school for the deaf. She has been instructing eleven young unfortunates during the past year. Miss Fulton will again go to Rice Lake in September.
Geo. Urban went to Dorchester last Monday morning and expects to devote the next three weeks to grading and shipping 400,000 feet of lumber for the Watertown Lumber Co., of which E. W. Schultz, a gentleman well known here, is the active manager.
John Zimmer, one of Stevens Point's pioneers, is very poorly at his home on Church street and appears to be gradually failing. He is suffering with hardening of the arteries and as Mr. Zimmer is nearly 84 years of age there seems little prospect for recovery.
Children's day exercises will be held at the German M. E. church next Sunday evening, commencing at 7:30 o'clock, when the little folks will give a program of songs, declamations, etc. The pastor, Rev. A. Held, will also administer the rite of confirmation at this service.
Chas. Lochner, a former Stevens Point, who is now engaged in the grocery and provision business at 96 Lincoln avenue, Milwaukee, spent a part of last Friday and Saturday in the city. Mr. Lochner recently purchased a forty acre farm one mile south of Plover, and came up to close the deal for an additional twenty acres.
Another coming event will be the marriage of Ed. Joseph, and Miss Martina Marshall, both of this city, which will take place on Thursday, the 23d inst. The bride-to-be is a daughter of Jas. B. Marshall and wife and the coming groom is a son of Mrs. Augusta Joseph. They will make their home in Milwaukee, where he has been employed for some time.
The Milwaukee Sentinel of Monday contained a cut of some of the prominent characters in "A Bachelor's Romance," the commencement play at Carroll College Waukesha. Miss Frances Baker, of this city, being one of them. The play was given that evening and was attended by her mother, Mrs. C. B. Baker, who went down on the morning train.
Geo. Kohaski and Miss Frances Parks were married at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Schuyler Parks, 704 Illinois avenue, at 8:30 last Thursday evening. Irving Altenburg and Mrs. H. King, sister of the bride, were the witnesses. After the ceremony a reception was held and a wedding supper served to the relatives and friends present, the young couple leaving on the early morning train for Oshkosh, where the groom is employed and in which city they expect to make their future home.

High School Alumni Banquet.
The annual banquet and business meeting of the Alumni Association of the Stevens Point High school was held at the public library club rooms on Friday evening of last week. The affair was highly successful, the attendance being the largest in the history of the association. After an informal reception, a banquet was served at 6:30 by Mrs. P. J. Kellar, assisted by the teachers of the public schools who are not graduates of the High school.
L. J. N. Murat, '92, president of the association, acted as toastmaster, and after a few introductory remarks, extended a welcome to the class of 1910. Responses were then given to the following toasts: "The Class of 1910," Miss Hazel Harriman, '10; "Our Public Schools," W. S. Young, president of Board of Education; "The Ladies," J. Roe Pfiffner, '03; reading, Miss Merle Young, '08; "The High School," Supt. John N. Davis.
Vocal and piano solos were pleasingly rendered by Miss Kate A. Ball and Miss Harriet Langenberg, respectively. Weber's four piece orchestra furnished music during the banquet. At the business meeting which followed the social program, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:
President—Chas. H. Cashin, '09.
Vice Pres.—Mrs. Winifred Rothman, '04.
Sec. and Treas.—Mrs. F. J. Blood, '01.
Two additional members of the executive committee are to be appointed by the newly elected president.

Little Encouragement
More Should be Shown to Our Base Ball Team by Local Lovers of the Game—Good Game Sunday.
If the present Stevens Point base ball team, those that are entitled to that name by virtue of pluck and meritorious playing, receive the patronage they are entitled to during the balance of the season, the boys may break even financially next fall, including the donations received from business men and others. Then again if one-tenth of those in this city who are not opposed to Sunday games and enjoy the pastime, would come out and show their good will and liberality, giving encouragement to the home players, there would be a noticeable increase in attendance.
The game played last Sunday afternoon between Stevens Point and New London, and which ended in a score of 3 to 1 in favor of the visitors, was the best of the season and but for a couple of bad errors on the part of home players, a couple of whom went to sleep on their bases, the result would have been different. New London put up a snappy game from start to finish, every man being on his job all the time, and the fact that they had long played and practiced together was evident, which is a condition our team has lacked thus far. The local team is composed of Cashin, Eaton, Curran, Hubbard, Neuberger, Maunders, Gibbons, Eagleburger, Fishleigh. The visitors were Lengstock, Seabaler, Schultz, Denning, Krause, Santler, Kleiner, Klatt, Rezenfus.
Next Sunday the Soo team from North Fond du Lac will be here. Marx, Schantz, Hartle and Menzel, all of whom have played here in the past, are members of the Fondy team. They beat Oshkosh last Sunday. Game called at 3 o'clock.

Bound Over for Trial.
Frank Lica, who was arrested a few weeks ago on the charge of stealing eight small pigs from A. L. Gates, of the West Side, had his examination in municipal court, Tuesday, and was bound over to the circuit court, giving bail in the sum of \$500 for his appearance. Dist. Atty. Nelson appeared for the prosecution and Owen & Hanna for the defense.
For Sheriff.
To the Voters of Portage County:—I respectfully announce that I will be a candidate for the office of Sheriff in the Democratic primaries, to be held on Thursday, Sept. 6th. Being well known in all parts of the county, I believe it is safe to say that I can stand on my personal record as a citizen, as well as the official record made by me while holding the same office for two years prior to January 1909. No duty was too severe or arduous to be shirked or neglected, and if again nominated and elected the same efforts will be made during the next two years. Thanking the voters of Portage county for their generous support in the past, and hoping for their good will in the future, I am
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Graduates From St. Stephen's.
The following girls and boys finish their studies at St. Stephen's parochial school this week: Karl Pfiffner, Beatie Wakefield, Mildred Fishleigh, Ray Jacobs, Elizabeth McCarthy, Harold Heffron, Grace Glennon, Wanda Monahan, Regan Dunphy, Frances von Neupert, Agnes Morrissey, Sylvia Shepperson, Robert McCarthy. All expect to enter our High school except Agnes Morrissey, who will go to the Normal, Harold Heffron, who will go to college, and Wanda Monahan, whose parents are about to move to Wausau.

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Albert W. Grant of the U. S. navy arrived home last Thursday morning in company with his brother, Crosby, who met him in Chicago the day before.
Dr. Myron Rood accompanied Albert Stumpf to Milwaukee last Friday, where Dr. Bartlett was consulted relative to the latter's eye, which was injured by fire last winter.
Mrs. S. B. Coleman, daughter and son, started on their western visit to Dakota and Nebraska last Thursday morning. Mr. Coleman will also visit that section in a few weeks.
The burning of C. A. Sherman's fine residence and barn near Conant Rapids, last Tuesday evening, together with the furniture, clothing, etc., entailed a loss of fully \$5,500.
W. W. Mitchell and wife arrived in the city from San Jose, Cal., on Friday morning last. Mr. Mitchell is busy looking after his various interests here and Mrs. M. is pleased to return among her many friends.
Last Thursday being Miss Amelia Lauber's 19th birthday, a few of her friends planned a pleasant surprise. They spent a couple of hours that evening in social enjoyment, and presented Miss Amelia with a handsome silver and glass desert dish.
N. Gross, Mrs. Christine Gross and daughters, Mrs. N. Jacobs, and Mrs. John Kheil will start for the Cream City next Saturday. On Sunday their daughter and sister, Mary Gross, who left here several weeks ago, will be received into the order of Sisters of Notre Dame at the convent in that city.
The commencement exercises of our High school class of 1885, will take place at McCulloch's hall on Friday evening. The names of the graduates are, John Campbell, George Gunderson, Edward McGlachlin, Jr., Willie Reed, L. T. Wade, Bessie Agnew, Ida Ball, Katie Dignum, Hattie Dumbleton, Jessie Hawn, Sadie Marshall, Etta Parmeter, May Stewart and Eva Week. This is by far the largest class that ever graduated in this city.
Shortly after 6 o'clock last evening, when returning home from his daily labor and when near St. Peter's parsonage, on 4th avenue, Joseph Strong became the victim of some careless marksmen. He was in company with Albert Gotchy and George DeLong. The sharp report of a firepiece was heard and a ball passed through the fleshy part of Strong's left arm just below the shoulder. It then struck Gotchy's coat, which he was carrying upon his shoulder, and fell to the sidewalk a few feet ahead. The bullet came from a southerly direction and was without doubt fired by some individual who was probably testing his marksmanship.

Florenz Ecke, Former Stevens Point Boy, Dies in Chicago—Remains Brought Here for Burial, Saturday.
Dr. Armin C. Ecke, one of Chicago's leading young physicians and surgeons, arrived in the city on Saturday morning's early Soo train, having in charge the remains of a young brother, Florenz, who while mentally unbalanced ended his life at the home of the former, 748 North State street, by inhaling gas. Upon their arrival here the remains were taken to the home of Mrs. Chas. H. Rohd-nz, 842 Center street, from where the funeral took place at 3 o'clock that afternoon. Rev. L. P. Peeke of Fond du Lac, and Rev. John A. Stemen of this city, officiated at the house and grave and a male quartette rendered hymns. Among those present were Louis and Miss Laura Ecke of Auburndale, father and sister of the deceased; Dr. and Mrs. A. C. Ecke and Edwin Ecke of Chicago, the latter being a twin of the deceased; Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Haight, Alden, Mich.; Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Thomsen, Fond du Lac, the ladies being sisters of the deceased, and Dodo H. Ecke, a student at the State University. These are all the direct relatives except one brother, Atty. Oscar H. Ecke, of Fond du Lac, who is in the far west on a professional trip. The pallbearers were H. A. Vetter, Alex. Krembs, Jr., J. Roe Pfiffner, C. T. Gunderson, Ensign Atwell and Will Jauch.

The deceased young man was a native of Stevens Point, born in this city Sept. 28th, 1883, and when he was about seven years of age, after the death of their mother, the family moved to Fond du Lac. While playing football at school there some twelve years ago, he ran against a tree, striking his head with such force that the skull was injured. He was compelled to absent himself from school for a number of weeks, and on re-entering studied so hard to catch up with his class that a nervous breakdown followed, resulting in mental troubles. He had been committed to the Oshkosh asylum four times, but for the past seven years had been with his brother in Chicago, being employed a part of the time. Thursday morning Florenz went to a room, turned on the gas and was later found dead. He was a bright student, having apparently a brilliant future until stricken as above stated.

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CLOSING DAYS AT HIGH

Class Day and Class Play at High School and Commencement Exercises at Grand Opera House.

Every seat in the High school assembly room was occupied last Wednesday evening and a hundred or more people were compelled to stand during the class day program given by the graduates of 1910. As usual in class day exercises, the different numbers were in a lighter vein, the "heavy stunts" being reserved for the next night. Opening and closing selections were given by the High school orchestra, an organization that has improved materially under the direction of Miss Kiefer, supervisor of music.
Guy Love, president of this year's class, delivered a brier address of welcome and announced the several numbers in the order of their appearance. A double selection, "Rock-a-bye" and "Annie Laurie" was given by the Girls' Chorus, and merited the hearty applause received.
The good, bad or indifferent qualities of each member of the class were touched upon by Tessie Sullivan, who gave the class limericks. Her composition was in rhyme and was truly a worthy effort.
Miss Sarah Tovrog repeated a scene she had with a spiritualistic medium, wherein the latter told some of the past and predicted much for the future of the class and faculty. Something new and novel was brought forth when Prof. Whattishname (Myron Moen) introduced himself as a celebrated phrenologist and called each member of the class to the stage. Their "bumps" were read and a future cut out for them.
George Macnish gave evidence of his musical ability by rendering a piano solo, "Reverie."
The next number was a recitation by Marie Pfiffner in which she described a girl's first visit to the postoffice in quest of stamps that would meet her artistic ideals. Miss Pfiffner has much ability as an elocutionist.
Collette Love was selected to distribute the class mementoes and had an appropriate gift for each member. This is always a mirth provoking feature of the annual exercises, but was made doubly so by Miss Love's witty remarks.
Many kindly thoughts for teachers and classmates were embodied in the farewell address delivered by Rose Tovrog.
The annual commencement exercises of the Stevens Point High school were held at the Grand Thursday evening, a packed house being present. The class, twenty-eight in number, sat in a double half circle on the stage, which was artistically decorated with ferns and flowers, together with the class colors, gold and white. In the absence of Rev. W. J. Rice from the city, Rev. C. F. Spray pronounced the invocation, and was followed by a selection from "The Royal Chef" by the High school orchestra under the leadership of Miss Kiefer. Miss Christena McCallin gave the salutatory and at the conclusion gave a recitation, "King Robert of Sicily," with piano accompaniment by Miss Harriet Langenberg, all of which had a most pleasing effect. "From New York to Boston in 1790, 1850 and 1900," showing the different modes of travel in those times, and the wonderful advancement made during the century, was nicely told by Miss Ruth McCallum.
The High School Girls' Chorus rendered a number under the direction of their instructor, and Frank Herman spoke about "The Gyroscope and the Monorail Car." The latter he pictured as 40 feet wide, 200 feet long, running upon a single rail and traveling across the country at the rate of 200 miles per hour. A difficult selection by Miss Mary Collins, one of Stevens Point's leading pianists, was much appreciated by the audience, and thereafter David Weltman gave an oration on "The Immigrant—Exclude or Assimilate," in which he advocated the strict exclusion of the undesirable classes and welcoming the better ones, those mentally, physically and morally capable of making good citizens.
"The Lakes to Gulf Waterway" was the title of an oration by Blazie B. Kryger, who in a good voice and a self-reliant manner advocated the improvement of our inland streams so that ocean steamers could be run up the Mississippi to New Orleans, St. Louis and Chicago, thus ensuring a great growth in wealth and population of those and other cities.
"The Country Dance," a piano duett by Misses Norma Jauch and Nina Macklin, was a feature of the evening's program, showing careful training and commendable knowledge on the part of these young musical artists. Miss Winnifred Hamilton, who was awarded the honor of giving the valedictory, performed that task very nicely, previous to which she gave an oration on "The High School and the Community," telling the good that the school is doing for our boys and girls and advocating the cordial support of all good citizens.
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NORMAL NOTES.

The annual debate between the Forum and Athenaeum took place in the Normal assembly room last Friday night and resulted in a victory for the Forum. "The Commission Form of Government" constituted the question for debate, and was ably discussed by both sides. The Forum debaters were William Dineen, Elmer Geraldson and Fred Somers, while the negative was upheld by Mark Billings, Paul Carlson and John Weinberger. The debate showed the result of hard work and good thinking and the debators are to be congratulated upon their efforts.
A very large audience witnessed the class day exercises held at the Normal assembly room last evening. The program was opened with a short address of welcome by John Weinberger, president of the Senior class. The Senior girls chorus under Miss Menauf's direction, then sang a lullaby. The class history was delivered by Eva LaDuke and Lila Thompson, who read from a huge volume which might have easily contained the history of a nation. William Dineen read the class poem, which was published in the Iris, just out. Henry Halverson rendered a very pleasing song, and responded to a hearty encore with "Red-head," which "took down" the house. The class prophecy was given by the Misses Crockett, Brown and Archambault, who were dressed as the fates and read the future of their classmates from a thread spun by an old fashioned spinning wheel. The class will was read by Elmer Geraldson, who bequeathed all of the Seniors' real and personal property in a fitting manner. Vivon Hainer gave the class mementoes in the shape of pledges to be redeemed at the counter. The very pleasant program was ended by a song, "Wanted, a Wife," by the boys' octette.

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Mrs. Lee Krems has been spending a few days with friends at Abbot'sford.
Wanted, boarders and roomers.
Mrs. P. C. Stelter, 710 Normal avenue.
Mrs. E. H. Taylor is spending this week with Mrs. W. T. Whiting at Oshkosh.
Miss Rose Sprung has returned from a visit among Wausau friends and relatives.
Miss Anna Clark left for a visit with Manitowoc and Milwaukee friends the last of the week.
Miss Selma Hafsos, a teacher in the Westfield schools, is at home for the summer vacation.
Miss May Haertel, of Amherst, was a guest of Miss Elsie Behrendt, on Clark street, last Saturday.
Robt. Galloway and family have moved here from New London to make this city their future home.
Miss Helen Swan, who has been teaching in Lanark during the past year, is home for the summer.
B. O. Storm, a well known business man and politician at Plainfield, was in town Monday night and Tuesday.
Remember that we carry the very best brands of Portland cement. See us when in the market.
Misses Alice Dawson and Elizabeth Bremner, teachers in the Wausau schools, returned home the last of the week.
Oxfords are the proper shoes to wear in warm weather. Ringness has a complete assortment and guarantees a perfect fit.
Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Broten, of Abbot'sford, came down Tuesday afternoon for a short visit among friends at their old home here.
Byron Taylor has returned to his home at Sherman after spending a couple of weeks at Portage, Madison and Janesville.
Miss Della Blodgett is back from Minneapolis, where she has taught for a number of years, to spend the summer in this city.
For patching holes in walls and ceilings, use our cement plaster. Only one cent per pound or 65 cents per sack, at Langenberg's.
F. P. Young, principal of the 23 district school at Appleton, visited with Prof. Smith of the Normal faculty the latter part of last week.
J. W. Strupe left for Nelsonville, Monday morning, where he will re-decorate the interior of the Norwegian Lutheran church at that place.
The Riverside Hotel, corner Water and Mill streets, all furnished and ready for business, is for rent. Enquire of T. Olsen, telephone No. 54.
For Sale—A register Jersey bull, about one year old. Name, Jack Owl. Solid color, blue tongue, brown switch. C. U. Malick, Stevens Point, Wis.
Miss Gertrude Jacobs entertained a party of young ladies at a 1:30 luncheon, Monday afternoon, in honor of Miss Vera Eaton, who will be married this evening.
Miss Nina Coye is at home from Lawrence College, Appleton, and Miss Ethel Coye from Northwestern University, Evanston, Ill., to remain during the summer.
Sister Superior, of St. Stephen's school, who has been at the mother house in Milwaukee for several weeks on account of her health, will return this evening.
Chris Geisler, deliveryman for Chas. A. Hamacker, has been off duty for ten days and part of last week was confined to his home on Strong's avenue, suffering with stomach trouble.
Misses Grace and Margaret Griffin left for a visit to Kaukauna, last Saturday, intending to go from there to Milwaukee to remain for some time with their sisters and brother.
The 4th of July will soon be here and in order to properly observe the day it is quite necessary that you wear oxfords. Call on Ringness, the S. Third street shoe man, for full particulars.
Prof. Ernest Weber and four other members of his orchestra will go to Amherst next Friday and that evening will play for a dancing party given by one of the local social organizations.
David Hay, who now covers several states west of Minneapolis for a Pittsburg art glass company, visited a couple of days this week with his uncle, Dr. T. H. Hay, while enroute to the east.
Myron Clifford, who has been attending the military school at Culver, Ind., has returned home. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Clifford, met him in Chicago, returning Sunday morning.
A. E. Dafeo returned Tuesday morning from a few days' trip through northern Illinois. He was accompanied north by several land seekers who expect to invest in the Buena Vista drainage district.
Miss Claudina Halverson, who has been a member of the faculty in the Lutheran Seminary for young ladies at Red Wing, Minn., during the past year, has returned home for the summer vacation.
Miss Carrie Wollum, a teacher in the Grand Rapids schools, is spending a few days visiting with her school girl friend, Mrs. Geo. A. Nelson, on Normal avenue, while on her way to her home at Eau Claire.
In addition to those previously mentioned, Mrs. A. F. Behrendt and Miss Amelia Port attended the state assembly of Rebekahs, at Green Bay, last week. It is estimated that there were about 2,000 present.
Miss Hulda Ecke, of Oshkosh, who came here last Saturday to attend the funeral of her cousin, Florenz Ecke, returned to her home the first of the week. While here she was a guest of her aunt, Mrs. Amanda Neumann, on N. Third street.
Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Timm and children, of Bennington, N. H., former residents of this city, arrived the last of the week for a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Forsyth. Mr. Timm is a papermaker and is in charge of a mill at that place.
Thos. E. Lewis, a former Portage county young man and a resident of Stockton, was married at Mauston on the 27th of April to Miss Emma Robinson of that place. They immediately left for the west and are now located on a farm near Cut Bank, Mont.

Another car of land plaster just received at Langenberg's.
A new sewing machine at a bargain if taken at once. 440 Main street.
Wanted, competent girl. Enquire of Mrs. E. D. Glennon, 518 Normal avenue.
Father Malkowski, of Polonia, who has been visiting his mother in Poland, is expected to arrive here on the 24th.
Capable girl wanted for general housework to whom best of wages will be paid. Mrs. J. W. Dunegan, 624 Main street.
Misses Mae Love and Ruth McCamley, of Grand Rapids, spent last Thursday and Friday visiting Mrs. N. P. Boneritz in this city.
Caleb Forsyth, of Hamilton, Ohio, arrived the last of the week for a visit of several days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Forsyth.
K. A. Cook and C. E. Wert are spending a few days in Milwaukee, going down to attend the Grand Lodge of Masons now in session.
Mr. and Mrs. E. McGlachlin have returned after a visit of over two months with their son in California, and in stopping at various points enroute.
Two car loads of fresh land plaster just received direct from the mill by John Skalski, 219 Clark street. If in need of this fertilizer, call at his store.
Chas. Hoffman is at home from Dorchester, where he had been since February, employed as headsawyer in a mill. They finished the season's cut last week.
Do you know the comfort that oxfords give? If not, call on Ringness, the S. Third street shoe man, and get a pair. He has all sizes, every pair up to date in style.
There will be a base ball game at Stockton station next Sunday afternoon between a nine representing Plover village and the Stockton club. It will be an interesting contest.
W. B. Shepard, who has been making his headquarters at the Veterans' Home, Waupaca, for several months, came up the last of the week to renew acquaintances for a few days.
Frank Molski spent Tuesday at Chippewa Falls, going up to consult with a building contractor who has several large jobs of plastering to do, including a new High school at Red Wing, Minn.
Miss Lois Huntington, of Freeport, Ill., is visiting a few days with her aunt, Mrs. N. P. Ronertz on Center avenue. The young lady spent part of last week among relatives at Grand Rapids.
Mrs. Sarah Perkins has returned from Waukesha, where she visited during the past four months with her sons, S. E. and A. W. Perkins, and is again at the home of her daughter, Mrs. M. A. Hadcock.
At the annual Rebekah assembly, held at Green Bay last week, Mrs. E. A. Arenberg of this city was again chosen as grand marshal, a position she has so capably and acceptably filled in the order in the past.
David Weltman, who graduated last week from the High school, will load Friday morning's train for Rhineland, where he has a position in the wholesale fruit house of Sam Chevien, a former Stevens Point.
Dr. E. F. Burns, of Stanley, visited his old home in the town of Almond last Sunday. He was returning from Chicago where he had attended a reunion of his dental class, many of whom came from distant parts of the country.
Rev. W. J. Rice spent a couple of days at DePere, last week, where he attended the funeral of Rev. Father Ryan, who died very suddenly Wednesday night while attending a meeting of his church officers, at his home.
Elmer Strong and Dolly Kickland, two young incorrigibles from the East Side, have been taken to the industrial schools at Waukesha and Milwaukee, respectively, to which institutions they were sentenced last Saturday by Judge Murat.
An automobile party composed of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Pratt, Willard, Ethel and Delana Pratt drove up from Plainfield last Monday afternoon to see "The College Widow" at Grand Opera House. The visitors returned home yesterday morning.
Miss Genevieve McDill, teacher in the Minneapolis High school, and Miss Mabel Olsen, teacher of domestic science in the St. Paul schools, arrived home Sunday morning, but the latter will depart in a few days to continue her work in what is termed the vacation school.
One of the hottest games of base ball played in Portage county this season took place at Fancher last Sunday afternoon, when the Fancher nine was defeated by Stockton, 7 to 9. Landowski and Korda acted as battery for the winners and Frank and Ted Kubiak served in like capacity for Fancher.
Among our High and public school teachers who have left the city, or will do so in a day or two, some to remain permanently, are Miss Cook to Elgin, Ill., Miss Hinckley to Milwaukee, Arnold Lau to Cedarburg, Harry Woodham to Illinois, Miss Smith to Ohio, Miss Kiefer to Pennsylvania, and Miss Krueger to Grand Rapids.
Friends at the old home in this city will be interested in learning that E. A. Krems has "made good" as cashier of the Lincoln County bank at Merrill, and the patrons of that prosperous institution are ready to affirm that he is the right man in the right place. Mr. Krems and family are also well pleased with their new home.
W. T. Andrews, of Chicago, arrived in the city on Saturday to visit for a few days with his mother on Normal avenue, and they were joined that afternoon by their sister and daughter, Miss Mina Andrews, of Grand Rapids, who spent Sunday here. Will was accompanied as far as Fond du Lac by his wife, who remained there to visit her sister, Mrs. Lucy Hubbard.
When a lawyer comes within \$25 of winning for his client the amount sued for, he has reason to feel proud of the achievement. A. I. Smogieski spent part of last week at Green Bay, where he tried the case of Theo. Blazkowski against the C. & N. W. railroad, an action brought to recover for the loss of two horses killed on the defendant's road. Blazkowski wanted \$500 and the jury awarded him \$475.
Frank G. Kirwan, who for a number of years has been in the government service with headquarters at St. Louis, arrived in the city Sunday morning to spend the week among friends in the city and vicinity. Stevens Point being his former home. Mr. Kirwan is an officer on one of the boats that are constantly employed in keeping the navigable channels of the Mississippi and Missouri rivers free from trees and snags. His boat employs 42 men, twelve of whom hold official positions.

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Mrs. E. A. Sherman has been spending the past few days visiting with her daughter, Mrs. J. B. Vedder, at Marshfield.
Mrs. Andrew Larson, who was operated upon at Mercy hospital a couple of weeks ago, was able to return to her home on Ellis street, yesterday.
Commencing next Sunday and until further announcement, Sunday school at St. Paul's M. E. church will be at 9:45 and regular service at 10:45 a. m.
Mrs. W. E. Smith, little daughter Margaret, and son, Clifford, of Kent, Wash., are guests at the home of her mother, Mrs. M. Clifford, on Strong's avenue, to remain a part of the summer.
Miss Myrtle Playman left today in company with her cousin, Miss Leda Otto, who has been attending the Normal here, to spend some weeks at the latter's home at Bessemer, Mich. Miss Playman will teach at St. Croix Falls next year.
Miss Phebe Dunn came up from Portage last evening to spend a few days among friends in the city and to attend the exercises at the Normal, from which school she graduated last July. During the past school year Miss Dunn taught at Fall Creek.
The annual reception by the Stevens Point Normal faculty to the students and all friends of the school, will be held at the gymnasium this evening, beginning at 8 o'clock. It is especially desired that many town folks attend; all are assured of a cordial welcome.
M. J. Cauley, of Wausau, visited with his brother, Thos. E. Cauley, in this city, Thursday and Friday last. Mr. Cauley is a former Stevens Point, has been located in business at Wausau, on the west side, for the past three years, and is meeting with good success.
Austin Means, who for several weeks was employed as timekeeper on the Omaha road at Draper, Sawyer county, came down to visit over Sunday with his parents and sister. He went from here to Minneapolis, near where he will fill a similar position for the same company.
John Britz of Stockton, Martin Steffan of Ellis, and Nic Juving of Amherst Junction, attended the wedding of their nephew and cousin, John Lauer, oldest son of Henry Lauer of St. Paul, to Miss Gertrude Berning, which took place at St. Michael, Minn., yesterday.
The grand lodge or state convention of Knights of Pythias will be held at Waupaca next week Tuesday and Wednesday, June 21 and 22. John W. Brown will represent the local lodge as delegate but it is expected that quite a number of other members will attend from here.
Mrs. Anna Ratajick, a former resident of Stevens Point, but who for the past twelve years has lived in Chicago, is spending a week with her old friend and former neighbor, Mrs. Anna Palicka, 639 Main street. Mrs. Ratajick has six sons and a daughter in the big city, all of whom are prospering.
Frank Guyant, of Belmont, spent the latter half of the week on a business and pleasure trip to this city. As has been previously announced, Mr. Guyant will be a candidate for the Democratic nomination for sheriff, as per announcement in this issue, and it is not expected that he will have any opposition in the primaries, which is as it should be. He left for home Saturday afternoon accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Finch, in the Finch automobile, they spending Sunday at the Guyant home.
Henry M. Halverson, who finished the advanced course at the Normal last winter and went to Blair, Trempealeau county, as assistant principal of the High school, was later promoted to the position of principal and has performed these responsible duties for the past couple of months. Henry will again be in charge of the High school next year. The town contains only 600 to 700 people, but there is an enrollment of about 80 in the higher department, many students coming from the surrounding country.
Chas. F. Childs, for nearly two years a resident and business man at Cuba, Missouri, has been visiting during the day with his parents, Jacob Childs and wife, on Center avenue. Charlie was engaged in the mercantile line at Cuba and also dealt in real estate, his partner being Chas. W. Rice, a former Stevens Point, but he has disposed of his interests and for the present he and his family are at Amherst. The climate did not agree with Mrs. Childs, who has lost nearly fifty pounds since going to the "show me" state.
Ben. F. Lewis, who went west a few weeks ago, returned last Saturday, coming back for the purpose of packing his household goods and other personal property to be shipped from Stockton to his new home near Cut Bank, Mont. While there Mr. Lewis secured a government claim of 160 acres and purchased 640 acres of "school lands," making a total of 800 acres, upon which he will locate. His wife, who accompanied him west, is visiting with her brother, Geo. E. Leonard, who is farming near Filer, Idaho, and meeting with good success.

NOTICE

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Aug. Seidler returned to his home on Normal avenue, this morning, after spending the past several months working at his trade as a carpenter in western Canada.
Edward Clifford, who makes Chicago his headquarters while representing an insurance company, came up this morning to spend a few days at the home of his mother, Mrs. M. Clifford.
While riding a bicycle, Sunday, the eight year old son of P. H. Maine fell and a sharp point of the pedal punctured a blood vessel in the back of his knees. The little fellow was thought to be very seriously hurt for a time, but Dr. E. H. Rogers attended to his injuries and he will be well in a few days.
Mr. and Mrs. N. Hoag, Theo. Myers, and John and A. P. Een, of Amherst, were among the number from that vicinity who came up last Saturday to mingle among the old settlers at their annual picnic. Mr. Hoag is among the early pioneers of Portage county, and during the early 50's assisted in surveying a state road from Waupaca across the northeast part of this county to Wausau, but which road was used but little and has long since been abandoned.
A farmer named Borson, living near Webster, lost his home, barn and entire contents by fire, Tuesday afternoon. It is said to have been started by a spark from a Soo locomotive. The loss is about \$2,000, without insurance.
John Skalski has just received a shipment of Sherwin-Williams and C. T. Reynolds & Co.'s strictly pure Paris green.
OUR MARKETS
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SOUTH SIDE AND RAILROAD

Personal and News Items of More or Less Importance to Readers of The Gazette.

Harold Rosenow was up from Fond du Lac to spend Sunday in the city.

Miss Alice Leahy has been spending a few days at Oshkosh and Marinette.

Rev. Anton Held went to Wittenberg yesterday and will visit until Friday with Rev. Jos. Miller and among former parishioners.

Mrs. A. J. Kosholek and children, of Wausau, are visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Hawkins, on the East Side.

On Friday last a son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ross Walton, of Fond du Lac, at the home of her father, Jason Maunders, on Wisconsin avenue in this city.

Lawrence Lamb, who is employed by the Northern Pacific at Brainerd, Minn., is at home to spend a couple of weeks with his father at the Dewey House.

Geo. L. Strong, the well known painter and decorator, is the happy father of a baby girl which arrived at his home in the Sixth ward last Wednesday.

Mrs. Herman Schroeder and baby boy returned to their home at Fond du Lac Tuesday afternoon. Her sister, Miss Anna Berndt, also went down for a visit.

Miss Kate Fulton returned yesterday from Rice Lake, Barron county, where she has been teaching the school for the deaf. She has been instructing eleven young unfortunates during the past year. Miss Fulton will again go to Rice Lake in September.

Geo. Urban went to Dorchester last Monday morning and expects to devote the next three weeks to grading and shipping 400,000 feet of lumber for the Watertown Lumber Co., of which E. W. Schultz, a gentleman well known here, is the active manager.

John Zimmer, one of Stevens Point's pioneers, is very poorly at his home on Church street and appears to be gradually failing. He is suffering with hardening of the arteries and as Mr. Zimmer is nearly 84 years of age there seems little prospect for recovery.

Children's day exercises will be held at the German M. E. church next Sunday evening, commencing at 7:30 o'clock, when the little folks will give a program of songs, declamations, etc. The pastor, Rev. A. Held, will also administer the rite of confirmation at this service.

Chas. Lochner, a former Stevens Point, who is now engaged in the grocery and provision business at 96 Lincoln avenue, Milwaukee, spent a part of last Friday and Saturday in the city. Mr. Lochner recently purchased a forty acre farm one mile south of Plover, and came up to close the deal for an additional twenty acres.

Another coming event will be the marriage of Ed. Joseph and Miss Martha Marshall, both of this city, which will take place on Thursday, the 23d inst. The bride-to-be is a daughter of Jas. B. Marshall and wife and the coming groom is a son of Mrs. Augusta Joseph. They will make their home in Milwaukee, where he has been employed for some time.

The Milwaukee Sentinel of Monday contained a cut of some of the prominent characters in "A Bachelor's Romance," the commencement play at Carroll College Waukesha, Miss Frances Baker, of this city, being one of them. The play was given that evening and was attended by her mother, Mrs. C. B. Baker, who went down on the morning train.

Geo. Kohaski and Miss Frances Parks were married at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Schuyler Parks, 704 Illinois avenue, at 8:30 last Thursday evening. Irving Altenburg and Mrs. H. King, sister of the bride, were the witnesses. After the ceremony a reception was held and a wedding supper served to the relatives and friends present, the young couple leaving on the early morning train for Oshkosh, where the groom is employed and in which city they expect to make their future home.

High School Alumni Banquet.

The annual banquet and business meeting of the Alumni Association of the Stevens Point High school was held at the public library club rooms on Friday evening of last week. The affair was highly successful, the attendance being the largest in the history of the association. After an informal reception, a banquet was served at 6:30 by Mrs. P. J. Kellar, assisted by the teachers of the public schools who are not graduates of the High school.

L. J. N. Murat, '92, president of the association, acted as toastmaster, and after a few introductory remarks, extended a welcome to the class of 1910. Responses were then given to the following toasts: "The Class of 1910," Miss Hazel Harriman, '10; "Our Public Schools," W. S. Young, president of Board of Education; "The Ladies," J. Roe Pfiffner, '03; reading, Miss Merle Young, '08; "The High School," Supt. John N. Davis.

Vocal and piano solos were pleasingly rendered by Miss Kate A. Ball and Miss Harriet Langenberg, respectively. Weber's four piece orchestra furnished music during the banquet. At the business meeting which followed the social program, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President—Chas. H. Cashin, '99.
Vice Pres.—Mrs. Winfred Rothman, '04.
Sec. and Treas.—Mrs. F. J. Blood, '91.

Two additional members of the executive committee are to be appointed by the newly elected president.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Articles and Items of News that Appeared in the Columns of The Gazette, Quarter of a Century Ago Today.

Jas. McCamley, who is in business at Amherst in company with Wm. Grooms, spent a few days in the city last week.

Tim, John and Wm. Lennon, sons of Wm. Lennon of Stockton, came down from Rhinelander last week to spend some time here.

Albert W. Grant of the U. S. navy arrived home last Thursday morning in company with his brother, Crosby, who met him in Chicago the day before.

Dr. Myron Rood accompanied Albert Stumpf to Milwaukee last Friday, where Dr. Bartlett was consulted relative to the latter's eye, which was injured by fire last winter.

Mrs. S. B. Coleman, daughter and son, started on their western visit to Dakota and Nebraska last Thursday morning. Mr. Coleman will also visit that section in a few weeks.

The burning of C. A. Sherman's fine residence and barn near Conant Rapids, last Tuesday evening, together with the furniture, clothing, etc., entailed a loss of fully \$5,500.

W. W. Mitchell and wife arrived in the city from San Jose, Cal., on Friday morning last. Mr. Mitchell is busy looking after his various interests here and Mrs. M. is pleased to return among her many friends.

Last Thursday being Miss Amelia Lauber's 19th birthday, a few of her friends planned a pleasant surprise. They spent a couple of hours that evening in social enjoyment, and presented Miss Amelia with a handsome silver and glass desert dish.

N. Gross, Mrs. Christine Gross and daughters, Mrs. N. Jacobs, and Mrs. John Kheil will start for the Cream City next Saturday. On Sunday their daughter and sister, Mary Gross, who left here several weeks ago, will be received into the order of Sisters of Notre Dame at the convent in that city.

The commencement exercises of our High school class of 1885, will take place at McCulloch's hall on Friday evening. The names of the graduates are, John Campbell, George Gunderson, Edward McGlachlin, Jr., Willie Reed, L. T. Wade, Bessie Agnew, Ida Ball, Katie Dignum, Hattie Dumbleton, Jessie Hawn, Sadie Marshall, Etta Parmeter, May Stewart and Eva Week. This is by far the largest class that ever graduated in this city.

Shortly after 6 o'clock last evening, when returning home from his daily labor and when near St. Peter's parsonage, on 4th avenue, Joseph Strong became the victim of some careless marksman. He was in company with Albert Gotchy and George DeLong. The sharp report of a firepiece was heard and a ball passed through the fleshy part of Strong's left arm just below the shoulder. It then struck Gotchy's coat, which he was carrying upon his shoulder, and fell to the sidewalk a few feet ahead. The bullet came from a southerly direction and was without doubt fired by some individual who was probably testing his marksmanship.

LITTLE ENCOURAGEMENT

More Should be Shown to Our Base Ball Team by Local Lovers of the Game—Good Game Sunday.

If the present Stevens Point base ball team, those that are entitled to that name by virtue of pluck and meritorious playing, receive the patronage they are entitled to during the balance of the season, the boys may break even financially next fall, including the donations received from business men and others. Then again if one-tenth of those in this city who are not opposed to Sunday games and enjoy the pastime, would come out and show their good will and liberality, giving encouragement to the home players, there would be a noticeable increase in attendance.

The game played last Sunday afternoon between Stevens Point and New London, and which ended in a score of 3 to 1 in favor of the visitors, was the best of the season and but for a couple of bad errors on the part of home players, a couple of whom went to sleep on their bases, the result would have been different. New London put up a snappy game from start to finish, every man being on his job all the time, and the fact that they had long played and practiced together was evident, which is a condition our team has lacked thus far. The local team is composed of Cashin, Eaton, Curran, Hubbard, Neuberger, Maunders, Gibbons, Eagleburger, Fishleigh. The visitors were Lengestock, Seabaler, Schultz, Denning, Krause, Santler, Kleiner, Klatt, Rezenfus.

Next Sunday the Soo team from North Fond du Lac will be here. Marx, Schantz, Hartle and Menzel, all of whom have played here in the past, are members of the Fondy team. They beat Oshkosh last Sunday. Game called at 3 o'clock.

Bound Over for Trial.

Frank Lica, who was arrested a few weeks ago on the charge of stealing eight small pigs from A. L. Gates, of the West Side, had his examination in municipal court, Tuesday, and was bound over to the circuit court, giving bail in the sum of \$500 for his appearance. Dist. Atty. Nelson appeared for the prosecution and Owen & Hanna for the defense.

For Sheriff.

To the Voters of Portage County—I respectfully announce that I will be a candidate for the office of Sheriff in the Democratic primaries, to be held on Thursday, Sept. 6th. Being well known in all parts of the county, I believe it is safe to say that I can stand on my personal record as a citizen, as well as the official record made by me while holding the same office for two years prior to January, 1909. No duty was too severe or arduous to be shirked or neglected, and if again nominated and elected the same efforts will be made during the next two years. Thanking the voters of Portage county for their generous support in the past, and hoping for their good will in the future, I am, Respectfully, Frank Guyant.

MIND WAS UNBALANCED

Florenz Ecke, Former Stevens Point Boy, Dies in Chicago—Remains Brought Here for Burial, Saturday.

Dr. Armin C. Ecke, one of Chicago's leading young physicians and surgeons, arrived in the city on Saturday morning's early Soo train, having in charge the remains of a young brother, Florenz, who while mentally unbalanced ended his life at the home of the former, 748 North State street, by inhaling gas. Upon their arrival here the remains were taken to the home of Mrs. Chas. H. Rohrdanz, 842 Center street, from where the funeral took place at 3 o'clock that afternoon. Rev. L. P. Peeke of Fond du Lac, and Rev. John A. Stemen of this city, officiated at the house and grave and a male quartette rendered hymns. Among those present were Louis and Miss Laura Ecke of Auburndale, father and sister of the deceased; Dr. and Mrs. A. C. Ecke and Edwin Ecke of Chicago, the latter being a twin of the deceased; Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Haight, Alden, Mich.; Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Thomsen, Fond du Lac, the ladies being sisters of the deceased, and Dodo H. Ecke, a student at the State University. These are all the direct relatives except one brother, Atty. Oscar H. Ecke, of Fond du Lac, who is in the far west on a professional trip. The pallbearers were H. A. Vetter, Alex. Krembs, Jr., J. Roe Pfiffner, C. T. Gunderson, Ensign Atwell and Will Jauch.

The deceased young man was a native of Stevens Point, born in this city Sept. 28th, 1883, and when he was about seven years of age, after the death of their mother, the family moved to Fond du Lac. While playing football at school there some twelve years ago, he ran against a tree, striking his head with such force that the skull was injured. He was compelled to absent himself from school for a number of weeks, and on re-entering studied so hard to catch up with his class that a nervous breakdown followed, resulting in mental troubles. He had been committed to the Oshkosh asylum four times, but for the past seven years had been with his brother in Chicago, being employed a part of the time. Thursday morning Florenz went to a room, turned on the gas and was later found dead. He was a bright student, having apparently a brilliant future until stricken as above stated.

Notes Regarding "The Sellers."

The house is being painted outside and in and most of the rooms redecorated. C. A. Lane has completed his contract, having re-wired the entire building. There are six main runs of No. 10 wire and the branch lines are No. 14 wire. The dining room floor has been replaced with the best grade of maple flooring, finished with two coats of bowling shellac, rubbed and waxed. The paper has been all taken off and the walls have been retouched, sandpapered and painted. The colors used are brown, blended from the wainscoting up, with a panel between the windows and doors. Stencil work on the border and ceiling, with curtains to match make a very pretty effect. Sixty Watt Tungsten lamps with beautiful fixtures adorn the ceiling of the dining room, office, hall and writing room. There is to be a cluster of 4 Tungsten lamps around the post in the center of the dining room. The balance of the rooms, as well as the sample rooms in the basement have been newly painted and calcimined.

There are 7 rooms with baths, the plumbing work having been done by Martin Lee. The porch on the front has been enlarged one-third, with new lattice work underneath, giving the house a much better appearance. The house has been supplied with 7 large easy leather chairs in the office, and 3 nice pieces of parlor furniture has been placed in the hall on the second floor, giving the same a very pretty effect as well as making it a useful part of the building.

The house is supplied with a complete new set of dishes and silverware, new bedding, lace curtains, pictures, cuspidors, in fact everything that can be done for the benefit and comfort of the guests has been attempted.

The hotel has all outside rooms, and all iron beds. The hotel bus has been newly decorated, and V. P. Atwell's span of blacks adorned with a new harness make prompt delivery of the guests to and from the depot.

F. R. Sellers has active management, Mrs. Sellers the landlady and C. Martyn the former chef will be here in a day or two, and Mrs. Martyn will be head dining room girl. Forest Sellers is bell boy.

Meet Thursday Evening.

The last meeting of the Business Men's Association for the season will be held at "The Sellers" at 6:30 tomorrow evening. Chas. Downie will render a solo, after which the judges on the best write-up of Stevens Point, its advantages, etc., will render their decision and award prizes. Mayor Walters will speak on the use of oil for our streets, and J. Roe Pfiffner will lead in a discussion for a "Greater Stevens Point." Weber's orchestra will render a number of musical selections during the evening.

Will Sail Saturday.

Miss Nannie R. Gray, teacher of German at the Normal, and Miss Florence Curran expect to spend the next three months very pleasantly and profitably in Europe, and both will board the steamship "Wittekind," of the German-Hamburg line, in New York harbor, next Saturday. Miss Gray left on Monday to spend a couple of days at Charleston, Ill., and Miss Curran leaves tonight. The former goes direct to Germany, where she expects to spend most of her time. The latter, in company with a number of other young ladies, will at first visit in Paris and other points of interest in France. Many lady teachers from all parts of America will sail on the same steamer.

Close Saturday Afternoon.

By mutual agreement all the dental offices in the city will close each Saturday afternoon during the months of June, July and August. Make appointments and govern yourselves accordingly. J. H. W. Dr. Frank Krembs, Sec.

CLOSING DAYS AT HIGH

Class Day and Class Play at High School and Commencement Exercises at Grand Opera House.

Every seat in the High school assembly room was occupied last Wednesday evening and a hundred or more people were compelled to stand during the class day program given by the graduates of 1910. As usual in class day exercises, the different numbers were in a lighter vein, the "heavy stunts" being reserved for the next night. Opening and closing selections were given by the High school orchestra, an organization that has improved materially under the direction of Miss Kiefer, supervisor of music.

Guy Love, president of this year's class, delivered a brief address of welcome and announced the several numbers in the order of their appearance. A double selection, "Rock-a-Bye" and "Annie Laurie," was given by the Girls' Chorus, and merited the hearty applause received.

The good, bad or indifferent qualities of each member of the class were touched upon by Tessie Sullivan, who gave the class limericks. Her composition was in rhyme and was truly a worthy effort.

Miss Sarah Tovrog repeated a seance she had with a spiritualistic medium, wherein the latter told some of the past and predicted much for the future of the class and faculty. Something new and novel was brought forth when Prof. Whatshisname (Myron Moen) introduced himself as a celebrated phrenologist and called each member of the class to the stage. Their "bumps" were read and a future cut out for them.

George Macnish gave evidence of his musical ability by rendering a piano solo, "Reverie."

The next number was a recitation by Marie Pfiffner in which she described a girl's first visit to the postoffice in quest of stamps that would meet her artistic ideals. Miss Pfiffner has much ability as an elocutionist.

Cellette Love was selected to distribute the class mementoes and had an appropriate gift for each member. This is always a mirth provoking feature of the annual exercises, but was made doubly so by Miss Love's witty remarks.

Many kindly thoughts for teachers and classmates were embodied in the farewell address delivered by Rose Tovrog.

The annual commencement exercises of the Stevens Point High school were held at the Grand Thursday evening, a packed house being present. The class, twenty-eight in number, sat in a double half circle on the stage, which was artistically decorated with ferns and flowers, together with the class colors, gold and white. In the absence of Rev. W. J. Rice from the city, Rev. C. F. Spray pronounced the invocation, and was followed by a selection from "The Royal Chef" by the High school orchestra under the leadership of Miss Kiefer. Miss Christena McCallin gave the salutatory and at the conclusion gave a recitation, "King Robert of Sicily," with piano accompaniment by Miss Harriet Langenberg, all of which had a most pleasing effect. "From New York to Boston in 1790, 1850 and 1900," showing the different modes of travel in those times, and the wonderful advancement made during the century, was nicely told by Miss Ruth McCallum.

The High School Girls' Chorus rendered a number under the direction of their instructor, and Frank Herman spoke about "The Gyroscope and the Monorail Car." The latter he pictured as 40 feet wide, 200 feet long, running upon a single rail and traveling across the country at the rate of 200 miles per hour. A difficult selection by Miss Mary Collins, one of Stevens Point's leading pianists, was much appreciated by the audience, and thereafter David Weltman gave an oration on "The Immigrant—Exclude or Assimilate," in which he advocated the strict exclusion of the undesirable classes and welcoming the better ones, those mentally, physically and morally capable of making good citizens.

"The Lakes to Gulf Waterway" was the title of an oration by Blazie B. Kryger, who in a good voice and a self-reliant manner advocated the improvement of our inland streams so that ocean steamers could be run up the Mississippi to New Orleans, St. Louis and Chicago, thus ensuring a great growth in wealth and population of those and other cities.

"The Country Dance," a piano duett by Misses Norma Jauch and Nina Macklin, was a feature of the evening's program, showing careful training and commendable knowledge on the part of these young musical artists. Miss Winnifred Hamilton, who was awarded the honor of giving the valedictory, performed that task very nicely, previous to which she gave an oration on "The High School and the Community," telling the good that the school is doing for our boys and girls and advocating the cordial support of all good citizens.

"The Girl of the Golden West," by the High School Orchestra, was an excellent selection. Supt. Davis, who presided during the evening, introduced M. E. Bruce, member of the board of education, who at the close of a short, but appropriate address, presented the members of the class with their diplomas.

Loose Pigs From Poke.

Frank Lica and wife, of Carson, visited at the home of John Wroblewski, in the town of Plover, last Sunday. Lica purchased four small pigs from Wroblewski, putting two in one sack and the same number in another. On the way home one of the sacks dropped out of his buggy and the loss was not discovered until he reached home.

Graduates From St. Stephen's.

The following girls and boys finish their studies at St. Stephen's parochial school this week: Karl Pfiffner, Bessie Wakefield, Mildred Fishleigh, Ray Jacobs, Elizabeth McCarthy, Harold Heffron, Grace Glennon, Wanda Monian, Regan Donphy, Frances von Neupert, Agnes Morrissey, Sylvia Shepperson, Robert McCarthy. All expect to enter our High school except Agnes Morrissey, who will go to the Normal, Harold Heffron, who will go to college, and Wanda Monian, whose parents are about to move to Wausau.

NORMAL NOTES.

The annual debate between the Forum and Athenaeum took place in the Normal assembly room last Friday night and resulted in a victory for the Forum. "The Commission Form of Government" constituted the question for debate, and was ably discussed by both sides. The Forum debaters were William Dineen, Elmer Geraldson and Fred Somers, while the negative was upheld by Mark Billings, Paul Carlson and John Weinberger. The debate showed the result of hard work and good thinking and the debaters are to be congratulated upon their efforts.

A very large audience witnessed the class day exercises held at the Normal assembly room last evening. The program was opened with a short address of welcome by John Weinberger, president of the Senior class. The Senior girls chorus under Miss Menaul's direction, then sang a lullaby. The class history was delivered by Eva LaDuke and Lila Thompson, who read from a huge volume which might have easily contained the history of a nation. William Dineen read the class poem, which was published in the Iris, just out. Henry Halverson rendered a very pleasing song, and responded to a hearty encore with "Red-head," which "took down" the house. The class prophecy was given by the Misses Crockett, Brown and Archambault, who were dressed as the fates and read the future of their classmates from a thread spun by an old fashioned spinning wheel. The class will be read by Elmer Geraldson, who bequeathed all of the Seniors' real and personal property in a fitting manner. Vivian Hainer gave the class mementoes in the shape of pledges to be redeemed at the counter. The very pleasant program was ended by a song, "Wanted, a Wife," by the boys' octette.

Taken Under Adversment.

Judge Webb spent last Friday in Stevens Point, coming up especially to hear the arguments in the actions brought against several of our saloonkeepers for a revocation of their licenses, and also to preside at the rehearing in the citizenship papers matter. On Sept. 27th, 1906, 56 residents of this county were granted full citizenship papers at a special session of court here, but as the present new law went into effect that day, and they were given their papers under the old law, the matter was brought up at this time. R. S. C. Ieman, chief U. S. naturalization examiner for the western district of Wisconsin, appeared for the government, and the court ordered that all certificates granted Sept. 27th, 1906, be cancelled.

Arguments in the saloon license cases were made on behalf of the city by D. I. Sickelsteel and for the prosecution by Mr. Smith, of Madison. Judge Webb then took the matter under advisement and has not yet rendered his decision. Other matters disposed of were as follows:

D. E. Frost vs. W. L. Norton. Judgment of foreclosure on pledge in favor of the plaintiff for \$20,080.59 and costs.

In the Portage County Drainage district matter the court signed an order authorizing the extension of ditches Nos. 5 and 8.

Gustave Steinkrauss vs. Matilda Steinkrauss. Judgment of divorce.

State vs. August Ostrowski. Defendant charged with burglary, entering the store of E. H. Hole, at Garfield, in the night time. Sentence of one year to state reformatory at Green Bay. Dist. Atty. Nelson appeared for the state and B. B. Park for the defendant.

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Mrs. Lee Krombs has been spending a few days with friends at Abbot'sford. Wanted, boarders and roomers. Mr. P. C. Stelter, 710 Normal avenue. w2
Mrs. E. H. Taylor is spending this week with Mrs. W. T. Whiting at Oshkosh.
Miss Rose Sprung has returned from a visit among Wausau friends and relatives.
Miss Anna Clark left for a visit with Manitowoc and Milwaukee friends the last of the week.
Miss Selma Hafsos, a teacher in the Westfield schools, is at home for the summer vacation.
Miss May Haertel, of Amherst, was a guest of Miss Elsie Behrendt, on Clark street, last Saturday.
Robt. Galloway and family have moved here from New London to make this city their future home.
Miss Helen Swan, who has been teaching in Lanark during the past year, is home for the summer.
B. O. Storm, a well known business man and politician at Plainfield, was in town Monday night and Tuesday.
Remember that we carry the very best brands of Portland cement. See us when in the market. Langenberg.
Misses Alice Dawson and Elizabeth Bremner, teachers in the Wausau schools, returned home the last of the week.
Oxfords are the proper shoes to wear in warm weather. Ringness has a complete assortment and guarantees a perfect fit.
Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Broten, of Abbot'sford, came down Tuesday afternoon for a short visit among friends at their old home here.
Byron Taylor has returned to his home at Sherman after spending a couple of weeks at Portage, Madison and Janesville.
Miss Della Blodgett is back from Minneapolis, where she has taught for a number of years, to spend the summer in this city.
For patching holes in walls and ceilings, use our cement plaster. Only one cent per pound or 65 cents per sack, at Langenberg's.
F. P. Young, principal of the 2d district school at Appleton, visited with Prof. Smith of the Normal faculty the latter part of last week.
J. W. Stroepe left for Nelsonville, Monday morning, where he will re-decorate the interior of the Norwegian Lutheran church at that place.
The Riverside Hotel, corner Water and Mill streets, all furnished and ready for business, is for rent. Enquire of T. Olsen, telephone No. 54.
For Sale—A register Jersey bull, about one year old. Name, Jack Owl. Solid color, blue tongue, brown switch. C. U. Malick, Stevens Point, Wis. w2
Miss Gertrude Jacobs entertained a party of young ladies at a 1:30 luncheon, Monday afternoon, in honor of Miss Vera Eaton, who will be married this evening.
Miss Nina Coye is at home from Lawrence College, Appleton, and Miss Ethel Coye from Northwestern University, Evanston, Ill., to remain during the summer.
Sister Superior, of St. Stephen's school, who has been at the mother house in Milwaukee for several weeks on account of her health, will return this evening.
Chris Geisler, deliveryman for Chas. A. Hamacker, has been off duty for ten days and part of last week was confined to his home on Strong's avenue, suffering with stomach trouble.
Misses Grace and Margaret Griffin left for a visit to Kaukauna, last Saturday, intending to go from there to Milwaukee to remain for some time with their sisters and brother.
The 4th of July will soon be here and in order to properly observe the day it is quite necessary that you wear oxfords. Call on Ringness, the S. Third street shoe man, for full particulars.
Prof. Ernest Weber and four other members of his orchestra will go to Amherst next Friday and that evening will play for a dancing party given by one of the local social organizations.
David Hay, who now covers several states west of Minneapolis for a Pittsburg arg glass company, visited a couple of days this week with his uncle, Dr. T. H. Hay, while enroute to the east.
Myron Clifford, who has been attending the military school at Culver, Ind., has returned home. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Clifford, met him in Chicago, returning Sunday morning.
A. E. Dafeo returned Tuesday morning from a few days' trip through northern Illinois. He was accompanied north by several land seekers who expect to invest in the Buena Vista drainage district.
Miss Claudina Halverson, who has been a member of the faculty in the Lutheran Seminary for young ladies at Red Wing, Minn., during the past year, has returned home for the summer vacation.
Miss Carrie Wollum, a teacher in the Grand Rapids schools, is spending a few days visiting with her school girl friend, Mrs. Geo. A. Nelson, on Normal avenue, while on her way to her home at Eau Claire.
In addition to those previously mentioned, Mrs. A. F. Behrendt and Miss Amelia Port attended the state assembly of Rebekahs, at Green Bay, last week. It is estimated that there were about 2,000 present.
Miss Hulda Ecke, of Oshkosh, who came here last Saturday to attend the funeral of her cousin, Florenz Ecke, returned to her home the first of the week. While here she was a guest of her aunt, Mrs. Amanda Neumann, on N. Third street.
Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Timm and children, of Bennington, N. H., former residents of this city, arrived the last of the week for a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Forsyth. Mr. Timm is a papermaker and is in charge of a mill at that place.
Thos. E. Lewis, a former Portage county young man and a resident of Stockton, was married at Mauston on the 27th of April to Miss Emma Robinson of that place. They immediately left for the west and are now located on a farm near Oak Bank, Mont.

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Father Malkowski, of Polonia, who has been visiting his mother in Poland, is expected to arrive here on the 24th.
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Misses Mae Love and Ruth McCamley, of Grand Rapids, spent last Thursday and Friday visiting Mrs. N. P. Bonvitz in this city.
Caleb Forsyth, of Hamilton, Ohio, arrived the last of the week for a visit of several days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Forsyth.
K. A. Cook and C. E. Wert are spending a few days in Milwaukee, going down to attend the Grand Lodge of Masons now in session.
Mr. and Mrs. E. McGlachlin have returned after a visit of over two months with their son in California, and in stopping at various points enroute.
Two car loads of fresh land plaster just received direct from the mill by John Skalski, 219 Clark street. If in need of this fertilizer, call at his store.
Chas. Hoffman is at home from Dorchester, where he had been since February, employed as headsawyer in a mill. They finished the season's cut last week.
Do you know the comfort that oxfords give? If not, call on Ringness, the S. Third street shoe man, and get a pair. He has all sizes, every pair up to date in style.
There will be a base ball game at Stockton station next Sunday afternoon between a nine representing Plover village and the Stockton club. It will be an interesting contest.
W. B. Shepard, who has been making his headquarters at the Veterans' Home, Waupaca, for several months, came up the last of the week to renew acquaintances for a few days.
Frank Molski spent Tuesday at Chippewa Falls, going up to consult with a building contractor who has several large jobs of plastering to do, including a new High school at Red Wing, Minn.
Miss Lois Huntington, of Freeport, Ill., is visiting a few days with her aunt, Mrs. N. P. Bonvitz on Center avenue. The young lady spent part of last week among relatives at Grand Rapids.
Mrs. Sarah Perkins has returned from Waukesha, where she visited during the past four months with her sons, S. E. and A. W. Perkins, and is again at the home of her daughter, Mrs. M. A. Hadcock.
At the annual Rebekah assembly, held at Green Bay last week, Mrs. E. A. Arenberg of this city was again chosen as grand marshal, a position she has so capably and acceptably filled in the order in the past.
David Weltman, who graduated last week from the High school, will board Friday morning's train for Rhineclander, where he has a position in the wholesale fruit house of Sam Chevien, a former Stevens Point.
Dr. E. F. Burns, of Stanley, visited his old home in the town of Almond last Sunday. He was returning from Chicago where he had attended a reunion of his dental class, many of whom came from distant parts of the country.
Rev. W. J. Rice spent a couple of days at DePere, last week, where he attended the funeral of Rev. Father Ryan, who died very suddenly Wednesday night while attending a meeting of his church officers, at his home.
Elmer Strong and Dolly Kickland, two young incorrigibles from the East Side, have been taken to the industrial schools at Waukesha and Milwaukee, respectively, to which institutions they were sentenced last Saturday by Judge Murat.
An automobile party composed of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Pratt, Willard, Ethel and Delana Pratt drove up from Plainfield last Monday afternoon to see "The College Widow" at Grand Opera House. The visitors returned home yesterday morning.
Miss Genevieve McDill, teacher in the Minneapolis High school, and Miss Mabel Olsen, teacher of domestic science in the St. Paul schools, arrived home Sunday morning, but the latter will depart in a few days to continue her work in what is termed the vacation school.
One of the hottest games of base ball played in Portage county this season took place at Fancher last Sunday afternoon, when the Fancher nine was defeated by Stockton, 7 to 9. Landowski and Korda acted as battery for the winners and Frank and Ted Kubiak served in like capacity for Fancher.
Among our High and public school teachers who have left the city, or will do so in a day or two, some to remain permanently, are Miss Cook to Elgin, Ill., Miss Hinckley to Milwaukee, Arnold Lau to Cedarburg, Harry Woodham to Illinois, Miss Smith to Ohio, Miss Kiefer to Pennsylvania, and Miss Krueger to Grand Rapids.
Friends at the old home in this city will be interested in learning that E. A. Krembs has "made good" as cashier of the Lincoln County bank at Merrill, and the patrons of that prosperous institution are ready to affirm that he is the right man in the right place. Mr. Krembs and family are also well pleased with their new home.
W. T. Andrews, of Chicago, arrived in the city on Saturday to visit for a few days with his mother on Normal avenue, and they were joined that afternoon by their sister and daughter, Miss Mina Andrews, of Grand Rapids, who spent Sunday here. Will was accompanied as far as Fond du Lac by his wife, who remained there to visit her sister, Mrs. Lucy Hubbard.
When a lawyer comes within \$25 of winning for his client the amount sued for, he has reason to feel proud of the achievement. A. L. Smongeski spent part of last week at Green Bay, where he tried the case of Theo. Blazkowski against the C. & N. W. railroad, an action brought to recover for the loss of two horses killed on the defendant's road. Blazkowski wanted \$500 and the jury awarded him \$475.
Frank G. Kirwan, who for a number of years has been in the government service with headquarters at St. Louis, arrived in the city Sunday morning to spend the week among friends in the city and vicinity. Stevens Point being his former home. Mr. Kirwan is an officer on one of the boats that are constantly employed in keeping the navigable channels of the Mississippi and Missouri rivers free from trees and snags. His boat employs 42 men, twelve of whom hold official positions.

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Mrs. E. A. Shorman has been spending the past few days visiting with her daughter, Mrs. J. B. Vedder, at Marshfield.
Mrs. Andrew Larson, who was operated upon at Mercy hospital a couple of weeks ago, was able to return to her home on Ellis street, yesterday.
Commencing next Sunday and until further announcement, Sunday school at St. Paul's M. E. church will be at 9:45 and regular service at 10:45 a. m.
Mrs. W. E. Smith, little daughter Margaret, and son, Clifford, of Kent, Wash., are guests at the home of her mother, Mrs. M. Clifford, on Strong's avenue, to remain a part of the summer.
Miss Myrtle Playman left today in company with her cousin, Miss Leda Otto, who has been attending the Normal here, to spend some weeks at the latter's home at Bessemer, Mich. Miss Playman will teach at St. Croix Falls next year.
Miss Phebe Dunn came up from Portage last evening to spend a few days among friends in the city and to attend the exercises at the Normal, from which school she graduated last July. During the past school year Miss Dunn taught at Fall Creek.
The annual reception by the Stevens Point Normal faculty to the students and all friends of the school, will be held at the gymnasium this evening, beginning at 8 o'clock. It is especially desired that many town folks attend; all are assured of a cordial welcome.
M. J. Cauley, of Wausau, visited with his brother, Thos. E. Cauley, in this city, Thursday and Friday last. Mr. Cauley is a former Stevens Point, has been located in business at Wausau, on the west side, for the past three years, and is meeting with good success.
Austin Means, who for several weeks was employed as timekeeper on the Omaha road at Draper, Sawyer county, came down to visit over Sunday with his parents and sister. He went from here to Minneapolis, near where he will fill a similar position for the same company.
John Britz of Stockton, Martin Steffans of Ellis, and Nic Joving of Amherst Junction, attended the wedding of their nephew and cousin, John Lauer, oldest son of Henry Lauer of St. Paul, to Miss Gertrude Berning, which took place at St. Michael, Minn., yesterday.
The grand lodge or state convention of Knights of Pythias will be held at Waupaca next week Tuesday and Wednesday, June 21 and 22. John W. Brown will represent the local lodge as delegate but it is expected that quite a number of other members will attend from here.
Mrs. Anna Ratajik, a former resident of Stevens Point, but who for the past twelve years has lived in Chicago, is spending a week with her old friend and former neighbor, Mrs. Anna Palicka, 639 Main street. Mrs. Ratajik has six sons and a daughter in the big city, all of whom are prospering.
Frank Guyant, of Belmont, spent the latter half of the week on a business and pleasure trip to this city. As has been previously announced, Mr. Guyant will be a candidate for the Democratic nomination for sheriff, as per announcement in this issue, and it is not expected that he will have any opposition in the primaries, which is as it should be. He left for home Saturday afternoon accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Finch, in the Finch automobile, they spending Sunday at the Guyant home.
Henry H. Halverson, who finished the advanced course at the Normal last winter and went to Blair, Trempealeau county, as assistant principal of the High school, was later promoted to the position of principal and has performed these responsible duties for the past couple of months. Henry will again be in charge of the High school next year. The town contains only 600 to 700 people, but there is an enrollment of about 80 in the higher department, many students coming from the surrounding country.
Chas. F. Childs, for nearly two years a resident and business man at Cuba, Missouri, has been visiting during the day with his parents, Jacob Childs and wife, on Center avenue. Charlie was engaged in the mercantile line at Cuba and also dealt in real estate, his partner being Chas. W. Rice, a former Stevens Point, but he has disposed of his interests and for the present he and his family are at Amherst. The climate did not agree with Mrs. Childs, who has lost nearly fifty pounds since going to the "show me" state.
Ben. F. Lewis, who went west a few weeks ago, returned last Saturday, coming back for the purpose of packing his household goods and other personal property to be shipped from Stockton to his new home near Cut Bank, Mont. While there Mr. Lewis secured a government claim of 160 acres and purchased 640 acres of "school lands," making a total of 800 acres, upon which he will locate. His wife, who accompanied him west, is visiting with her brother, Geo. E. Leonard, who is farming near Filer, Idaho, and meeting with good success.

NOTICE

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Aug. Seidler returned to his home on Normal avenue, this morning, after spending the past several months working at his trade as a carpenter in western Canada.

Edward Clifford, who makes Chicago his headquarters while representing an insurance company, came up this morning to spend a few days at the home of his mother, Mrs. M. Clifford.

While riding a bicycle, Sunday, the eight year old son of P. H. Maine fell and a sharp point of the pedal punctured a blood vessel in the back of his knee. The little fellow was thought to be very seriously hurt for a time, but Dr. E. H. Rogers attended to his injuries and he will be well in a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Hoag, Theo. Myers, and John and A. P. Een, of Amherst, were among the number from that vicinity who came up last Saturday to mingle among the old settlers at their annual picnic. Mr. Hoag is among the early pioneers of Portage county, and during the early 50's assisted in surveying a state road from Waupaca across the northeast part of this county to Wausau, but which road was used but little and has long since been abandoned.

A farmer named Borson, living near Webster, lost his home, barn and entire contents by fire, Tuesday afternoon. It is said to have been started by a spark from a Soo locomotive. The loss is about \$2,000, without insurance.

John Skalski has just received a shipment of Sherwin-Williams and C. T. Reynolds & Co.'s strictly pure paris green. w2

OUR MARKETS

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Rosebud Flour	\$5.83
Patent Flour	6.00
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Oats	.40
Middlings	1.20
Feed	1.45
Brans	1.15
Corn	1.30
Corn meal	1.40
Butter	20.22
Eggs	16.17
Chickens	12.14
Turkeys	18
Lard	18
Veal Pork	26.00
Veal Beef	16.00
Hogs live	7.50-8.00
Hogs dressed	10.00-10.50
Beef live	4.00-4.50
Beef dressed	7.50-8.00
Hams	22
Potatoes	10
Hay, Timothy	\$14.00-16.00

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Her Dowry
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A waiter in a coffee shop in Vienna was arranging the tables, seeing that the wares that usually kept on them were in order, when the door opened, and a gentleman walked in and asked for a cup of chocolate.

"You are too early," said the waiter. "Do you suppose we can serve guests till 2 o'clock in the morning and be up at 4 to begin another day? You'll get nothing here till 9 o'clock. Be off with you!"

The stranger made no reply, but left the shop. Walking across the street, the waiter watching him the while, he entered another coffee shop and made the same request.

"Sit down, sir," said the landlord cheerily. "The chocolate will be ready in a moment."

While the guest was waiting for his chocolate he conversed with the landlord. He did not take the proffered seat, but walked back and forth. He asked many questions about what was going on in the neighborhood—whether the people were satisfied with their condition, how the city government suited them and if the inspectors troubled them much.

While they were talking the landlord's daughter, Rosina, a very pretty girl, came in with the chocolate. The stranger wished her good day and made some very pretty speeches to her. When she went out, pouring the chocolate, he said to her father:

"She is a nice girl. But I warn you that flowers are not always in bud nor even in bloom. She should be married before she fades."

The landlord, who stood before his guest, with a napkin on his arm, shrugged his shoulders, spread out his hands on either side and rolled up his eyes.

"She is fading very fast," he said, "not from age, for she is only nineteen, but because she loves a young man, and since I have no dowry to give her she cannot marry him."

"Who is the young man?" asked the stranger.

"He is an optician, a maker of glasses, a fine young man. He served his term in the army and was very brave. He fought for the emperor at Sadowna and received a medal for saving a standard from falling into the hands of the enemy. He was badly wounded and was brought home here and put in a hospital. My daughter was serving as nurse, and she took care of the young soldier. It was doubtless due to her care that he recovered."

"Why do you not represent the case to the emperor?" asked the stranger.

"He should pay for the lives of his soldiers. Your daughter should receive a dowry from the government for saving the brave young man."

"The emperor! The poor man is already beset by the cares of state without being troubled by a poor coffee house keeper's daughter. What with keeping so many different people together under his flag one would think he would go crazy."

"How much dowry does your daughter require to marry her soldier lover?"

"A thousand crowns."

By this time the stranger had swallowed his chocolate.

"I would advise you," he said, "to send your daughter with her lover to the emperor that she may tell how she saved one of his soldiers, and perhaps he will give her a dowry."

"Are you crazy?" asked the landlord in astonishment at such a proposition.

"Not at all. I am perfectly sane."

"Why, she could not even get an audience with the emperor. And if she did it would be shameful for her to bother the good man with her affairs."

"Nonsense! The emperor would be glad to listen to a petition from a young girl who had saved a life for him. And, as for securing an audience, I will attend to that for you. Give me pen and paper."

The landlord, wondering whether he was awake or dreaming or out of his senses, brought writing materials, and the stranger scribbled something on a bit of paper and handed it to the landlord, saying:

"Give that to your daughter and tell her to go to the palace tomorrow at 12 o'clock noon. And be sure she takes her soldier with her. They will be admitted to the emperor's presence by presenting that paper, and I guarantee that he will listen to them kindly."

Without waiting to make explanations or to reply to questions the man left the shop. The landlord as soon as he had gone rushed to the door and watched him as he strolled leisurely down the street. The waiter opposite who had refused to serve the stranger also went to the door, wondering what had so interested his neighbor in the man. Together they examined the paper he had left, but could make nothing out of it except three letters—F. J. and R.

All that day and in the evening the family of the landlord, with Rosina and her soldier, discussed the matter of risking making fools of themselves by going to the palace.

The decision was to go. They were admitted on the stranger's pass, and on entering a room where the emperor received petitions they saw that he was the stranger who had drunk chocolate in their coffee house.

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In the evening the mother prepares to meet the Sabbath. The child partakes in the household occupations and therefore gets habits of industry, order and regard for the rights and ideas of others and the fundamental habit of subordinating his activities to the general interest of the household.

This is especially true in regard to Jewish households where everything seems to be prescribed by law. Before darkness sets in on Friday the housewife lights in the dining room extra candles or a special lamp in honor of Sabbath and reads the blessing.

Quite often a child not yet able to talk will cover its face with its little palms, imitating the gestures of the devoted mother. The returning from the synagogue, the appreciative greeting "Good Sabbath," the Kiddush, the blessing over wine, the special menu and the holiday spirit of all who participate have undoubtedly a soothing, beneficial influence upon the child. After supper the time is spent in resting.

FIRST SHAPE OF EELS.

Strait of Messina Revealed Mystery of the Snake-like Fish.

In the strait of Messina are channels of immense depth, through which a wild tide surges, and owing probably to irregularities at the bottom there are whirling eddies which have the effect of bringing up from the depths below many marine creatures which are rarely seen except in the deep sea trawls.

It was here that the larval form of a fresh water eel was first discovered, an incident which threw a blaze of light on the life history of a very mysterious fish.

All kinds of theories had been given forth with regard to the propagation of the eel. Some naturalists declared they bred in fresh water, others that they visited the estuaries for spawning purposes, but thanks to the discovery of Messina and later captures of the eel in its larval form it is practically certain that after mature eels drop down our rivers in autumn they lie there to exceedingly deep water in the sea and there deposit their eggs.

From the egg comes a little ribbon shaped creature, the larval form. In due course this changes into an eel of still smaller size, strange to say, and these small eels or evers afterward ascend our rivers and there remain until they reach maturity, when they in their turn descend to the sea and history is repeated.—London Telegraph.

Horses 'n Literature.

In sacred writ it was deemed worthy of record that Solomon imported horses from Egypt, while the description of the war steed in Job is accounted one of the finest parts of that piece of literature. In Greek myth and English satire the qualities ascribed to Centaurs and the Homeric heroes testify sufficiently to the high regard in which the horse has ever been held. The name of Hippocampus is inseparably coupled with that of Alexander. At least one Roman emperor had divine honors paid to his charger. Who can picture Don Quixote sleeping on his armor without seeing the princely Rosinante tethered under the dewy night? And the stirring incidents of John Gilpin's ride conclusively proved that the racing blood of far removed equine ancestors was not entirely wanting in the degenerate descendant.

Got All He Asked For.

Another "meaneast man" has been found. He lives in the city and conducts a thriving business. The other day a seedy individual approached him and said: "Say, mister, I'm hungry and would like to get a nickel to get a cup of coffee and a roll. I have four pennies and only need one more. Please give me a penny."

The man after searching himself said: "I haven't got a penny. All I have is a nickel. Give me your four cents in change, and I will give you the nickel."

The beggar requests that his name be not mentioned in connection with the item.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Doubtful Praise.

Stippler—Did Miss Kittle admire your paintings? Dobber—I don't know. Stippler—What did she say about them? Dobber—That she could feel that I put a great deal of myself into my work. Stippler—Well, that's praise. Dobber—Is it? The picture I showed her was "Calves in the Meadow."—New York Journal.

Music Lovers.

"How do you know these people are sincere lovers of music?"
"By the fact," replied Miss Cayenne, "that they compelled their youngest boy to stop trying to learn to play the piano."—Washington Star.

Soup Marks.

Guest—You called "Minna." Is that the blond, the dark one or the old woman? Waiter—How do you know our cooks? Guest—By the soup.—Meggen-dorfer Blatter.

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A Connecticut woman died of joy, caused by receiving a large sum of cash. It is not, however, a complaint which is catching.

Lots for Sale.

Lots 3, 4, 9 and 10 of Homsted's subdivision of lots 33 and 34 in Shekel's addition to the city of Stevens Point, located in the 6th ward, for sale at a bargain. Address Mary A. Lavin, Iron River, Wis.

Actors and actresses who are fortunate enough to be identified with plays that are decent and at the same time entertaining should not neglect to get down on their knees every night and give thanks.

Farm for Sale

A farm of 200 acres, of which 140 acres are under cultivation, the balance being pasture and timber land, with good buildings, including a 12-room house, barn 36x100 ft., 18 ft. high, including a stone barn for cattle, with 13 ft. driveway, together with a barn for horses, 18x36 ft., granary 20x24 ft. and other buildings, machinery, and wagons, and also 35 head of cattle, 5 horses and 80 chickens, etc., for sale. Will take some city property in exchange, part cash and balance on time. If sold before Apr. 1st, will give a bargain. Address or call upon T. M. Roidt, Milladore, Wis.

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[1st pub. June 1—Ins 3.]

STATE OF WISCONSIN—Portage County—
In County Court, In the matter of the estate of William T. Carlini, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that at a special term of the court to be held in and for said county at the court house, in the city of Stevens Point, on and county, on the 4th Tuesday, being the 28th day of June, A. D. 1910, at 10 o'clock a. m., or as soon thereafter as such matter can be reached, the following matter will be heard and considered:

The petition of Charles P. Frick, executor of the estate of said William T. Carlini, deceased, for an order authorizing him to sell and convey to the Portage County Surveyor of Portage County, Wisconsin, certain lands and interests therein owned by said William T. Carlini, deceased, and to execute and deliver to said surveyor a deed of conveyance of said lands and interests therein.

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[1st pub. June 1—Ins 3.]

COUNTY COURT NOTICE—State of Wisconsin, Portage County—In county court, in the matter of the estate of Catherine Lotis, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that at a regular term of the county court, to be held in and for said county, at the court house, in the city of Stevens Point, on and county, on the 4th Tuesday, being the 28th day of June, A. D. 1910, at 10 o'clock a. m., or as soon thereafter as such matter can be reached, the following matter will be heard and considered:

The petition of John Lotis, executor of the last will and testament of Catherine Lotis, deceased, for the adjustment and allowance of his final account and for an order assigning the residue of said estate to such persons as are under the terms of said will entitled thereto.

Dated this 7th day of June, A. D. 1910.

By order of the Court,
JOHN A. MURRAY, County Judge.
Byron B. Park, Attorney for the Petitioner.

[First pub. May 25—7 Ins.]

NOTICE OF SALE ON FORECLOSURE—State of Wisconsin—in Circuit Court—Portage County, Lizzie A. Minnick, Plaintiff, vs. Arthur Olds, Nellie S. Olds, Anne McDevitt and Bateman, Defendants.

By virtue of a judgment of foreclosure and sale rendered on the 18th day of May, A. D. 1909, in the above entitled action, and duly perfected and entered of record in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court for said county on the 18th day of May, A. D. 1909, I shall on Saturday, the 9th day of July, A. D. 1910, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the west front door of the Court House of Stevens Point, Portage County, Wisconsin, offer for sale and sell at public auction and vendue, to the highest bidder, the following described real estate, situated in the county of Portage and state of Wisconsin, or so much thereof as shall be necessary to satisfy said judgment, with interest and costs of sale, to wit:

The west half of the southeast quarter of section No. Eleven (11), in Township No. Twenty-four (24) North, Range No. Six (6) East.

Also Lot Letter C of Lot Number One (1) in McDonald's Addition to the city of Stevens Point, Wisconsin.

Dated May 20th, A. D. 1910.

JOHN A. BERRY, Sheriff of Portage County, Wis.
Byron B. Park, Attorney for the Plaintiff.

[1st pub. June 1—Ins 3.]

COUNTY COURT NOTICE—State of Wisconsin, Portage County—In county court, in the matter of the estate of Sabina Lally, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that at a special term of the county court, to be held in and for said county, at the court house, in the city of Stevens Point, on and county, on the 4th Tuesday, being the 28th day of June, A. D. 1910, at 10 o'clock a. m., or as soon thereafter as such matter can be reached, the following matter will be heard and considered:

The application of Anthony Lally to admit to probate the last will and testament of Sabina Lally, late of the town of Shekelton, in said county, deceased, and for letters testamentary thereon to be issued to said Anthony Lally.

Dated this 1st day of June, A. D. 1910.

By order of the Court,
JOHN A. MURRAY, County Judge.

[First pub. June 1—Ins 3.]

ORDER FOR ADJUSTMENT OF CLAIMS and Notice to Creditors. In Probate—Portage County Court. In the matter of the estate of William T. Carlini, deceased.

Letters testamentary on the estate of Wm. T. Carlini, deceased, having been issued to Charles E. Van Hecke.

It is ordered, that the time until and including the first Tuesday of January, A. D. 1911, at ten o'clock in the afternoon, be and is hereby allowed and limited for the creditors of said Wm. T. Carlini, deceased, to present their claims for examination and allowance.

It is further ordered, that all claims and demands against the said Wm. T. Carlini, deceased, be presented to the said Charles E. Van Hecke, executor of the estate of said Wm. T. Carlini, deceased, at the county court room, in said county, in the city of Stevens Point, on and county, at the regular term thereof to be held on the first Tuesday of January, 1911.

It is further ordered, that notice of the time and place at which said claims and demands will be received, examined and adjusted as aforesaid, and of the time hereby limited for creditors to present their claims, be given by publication of this order and notice for four consecutive weeks, once in each week, in The Star, a weekly newspaper published in the city of Stevens Point, in said county, the first publication to be within fifteen days from the date hereof.

Dated this 2nd day of June, 1910.

By the Court,
F. A. NEUBERGER, Judge in Probate.

Byron B. Park, Atty. for the Administrator.

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AMHERST.

Bert Olson spent part of last week in Oshkosh.

The children of Ralph Lea are having the measles.

C. F. Haertel made a business trip to Grand Rapids last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Childs of Cuba, Mo., are visiting at G. H. Worden's.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Kates spent Sunday at Horace Lombard's, Lime Lake.

Mrs. Guy Jordan returned Saturday from a two weeks' visit at Auroraville.

Miss Mae Haertel and Miss Helene Keener were Stevens Point visitors over Sunday.

Miss Theresa Wilson of Neenah attended commencement exercises here Friday evening.

Mrs. Smith, wife of Rev. Smith, is visiting at the home of her son Herbert in Chicago.

Several of our citizens attended the funeral of Andrew A. Brekke at Rosholt last Thursday.

Mrs. King of Green Lake and Miss Mae Burling of Oshkosh were at the Central Hotel over Sunday.

Miss Painter of Oshkosh, our future assistant principal of the High school, was in town one day last week.

Mrs. G. A. Sundby is in Deerfield, Wis., for a few weeks' visit with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. Bredeson.

Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Lea of Galeville, Wis., are visiting the former's brother and family, Jesse Lea, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Lea and Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Lea spent Sunday at the home of Jesse Lea, Jr., town of Lanark.

Mrs. Relief Atwell and daughter, Mrs. Walker of Stevens Point, are here for a few weeks' sojourn on the old Grover homestead.

J. O. Foxen, who is at present making his home with his daughter, Mrs. A. O. Anderson of Manitowoc, is in town for a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Van Cott have gone on an extended visit with their daughters, Mrs. A. B. Moss at Anawa and Mrs. C. W. Lea of Oshkosh.

Mrs. E. P. Tobie of Amherst Junction was a delegate to the W. K. C. at Fond du Lac last week. She was accompanied by Mrs. C. A. Smith.

John Gibson, Frank Droskie, J. H. Delaney, Lee Ogden and M. C. Hansen have applied for license to keep saloons in the village of Amherst.

Victor Czeskleba of Montello is spending a few days at his home, stopping off on his return from Green Bay where he attended grand lodge, being a delegate from Montello lodge.

Miss Cora Turner and Mrs. F. O. Adams were in Green Bay last week, delegates to the Rebekah Assembly in session there. D. A. Day represented the subordinate lodge.

V. P. Atwell and sons, Geo. B. and W. E., came down from Stevens Point in their automobile Sunday and made a short stay at John Een's. The time from Stevens Point was 40 minutes.

Mrs. S. C. Swenson went to Milwaukee last week where she will enter Sacred Heart Sanitarium for a few weeks' rest and treatment, which will undoubtedly bring her back her desired health.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Newberry and daughter are visiting at C. N. Fenton's. Mr. Newberry is principal of one of the schools at Appleton, which position he has successfully filled since leaving Amherst. It is a great pleasure to meet them again.

School closed Friday with roll call at 9 a. m., when they adjourned for a grand holiday picnic. The pupils of the first and second primary and intermediate departments held their picnic in Fleming's grove while the grammar pupils went to Lake Emily.

The High school pupils gave a farewell party to the assistant principal, Miss Elizabeth Rowell, on Thursday evening at the school, which was thoroughly enjoyed by all present. Miss Rowell has filled the position of assistant for three years, giving the best possible satisfaction. She goes to Watertown, Wis., as teacher of Latin and German.

Those who were fortunate enough to have the pleasure of attending the class day exercises Wednesday evening, given in the High school, enjoyed a rare treat. Commencement exercises were given in the opera house Friday evening. Five pupils, three girls and two boys, received the sheepskin: Inga Alm, Mary Day, Tina Carey, Weston Johnson, Fred Bergholte. Music by a chorus of male voices, Chas. Downie, Rev. Sundby, Raymond Peterson, M. A. Fleming, W. H. Fowle, Will and Vernon Peterson and Guy E. Jordan, was one of the pleasing features of the evening. A piano duet by Misses Anna and Mamie Een was very good. The diplomas were presented by J. E. Heffernan, the principal.

ARNOTT.

Mable Hoffman of Amherst Junction is visiting at the Steinke home this week.

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Geo. Adams and wife of Oshkosh are visiting his father at Liberty Corners this week.

Mrs. Dr. Ward returned home Monday after visiting several weeks with her parents at Cassville.

Miss Tillie Sheffner of Stevens Point spent Sunday here with her sisters, Miss Kathryn and Mrs. Brietenstein.

Miss Laura Larson of Stevens Point has been staying at the Swenson home during the sickness of Milo with scarlet fever.

The ladies of the Neuman M. E. church will hold an ice cream social on the church lawn, Friday afternoon, June 17th, from 3 to 8 o'clock. All are invited.

Gard Nelson and Willis Worden of

Buena Vista attended the 32nd Wisconsin Regt. reunion, which was held at Fond du Lac, June 8th. Both were well pleased with their trip after seeing some of their soldier chums.

Mrs. J. P. Hopkins and son Clifford spent several days of last week with her sister, Mrs. J. Ryan. She was formerly of Star Lake and is now visiting among relatives in Buena Vista and Bancroft, and will leave for Lone, Wash., about July 6th, where Mr. Hopkins has decided to locate and has a fine house built and ready to move in.

LANARK.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Moberg last Thursday.

Miss Agnes Meagher is visiting with friends in Poygan this week.

Sherm Sanders of Bancroft spent Monday on his farm in this town.

Ethel Spear and William Sanders were married Monday at Stevens Point.

James Hickey of Waupaca spent a few days with his brother Dan, coming up to fish trout.

Father Luby of Poygan was a visitor at the home of Rev. J. E. Meagher a few days last week.

Mrs. Moran of Stevens Point and Mrs. Welch and daughter of Hartford are guests at the home of Dennis Leahy this week.

William Hewitt is building a large open hall to be used for dancing and will have it finished so as to hold a dance next Friday night.

The Holy Name Society of St. Patrick's congregation held a business and literary meeting at the home of Rev. J. E. Meagher Sunday evening.

A few of our young folks took a straw ride over to Clarence Collier's last Thursday evening. The evening was spent in playing cards and other games after which refreshments were served. All came home saying that they had spent a most pleasant evening.

MILLADORE.

Miss Blenker of Sherry visited with friends here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Feit were Stevens Point shoppers Monday.

Where was Joe Bazal Sunday? Give an account of yourself, Joe.

Don't miss the Passion Play at Lang's hall June 21st and 22d.

The Misses Emma and Helen Konopa were Stevens Point callers Monday.

Mrs. Greissinger and daughter Jennie spent a few days with relatives at McDill last week.

Mrs. John Rudersdorf and children and Miss Bessie Cindal went to Marshfield, Thursday.

Miss Beck of Stevens Point, who had been visiting friends here for a week, returned home Wednesday.

Mrs. Seefeldt, who had been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Louis Petersen, the past week, left for Stevens Point Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Kulhanek returned to their home at Abbottsford last Wednesday after an extended visit with relatives here.

Mrs. Ed. Stuck and daughter Marie attended commencement exercises of the Stevens Point High school last week. Miss Tena McCallin was one of the graduates.

Miss Lou Hooper was pleasantly surprised by a number of friends Monday evening the occasion being her birthday anniversary. Games were played and a good time enjoyed by all.

The Cracker Jacks defeated Auburndale Sunday in a one-sided game, 25 to 5. The features of the game were the batting of our boys and the brilliant pitching of Sylvan Gebert. The Milladore Juniors went to Sherry Mills and won by a score of 17 to 5.

Great preparations are being made for our 4th of July celebration. The business men are all taking much interest and a good time is anticipated. There will be races of all kinds both forenoon and afternoon and a good game of base ball between some crack team from Marshfield and the Cracker Jacks. One special feature of the day will be the street parade, which we expect will be the finest ever seen in a small town. Great interest is also taken in the voting contest for the Goddess of Liberty, which is being conducted at Malik's store. Boys, put in your vote.

DANCY.

M. H. Altenburg was at Stevens Point a couple of days the past week.

Dr. Daniels of Mosinee was a professional caller in this vicinity last Friday.

E. E. Topham has recently added a nice two seated surrey to his livery outfit.

Roger Guenther and wife of Knowlton were Dancy callers an evening recently.

A. Ellsworth of Oak Park, Ill., transacted business in this village a day recently.

Mesdames H. A. Altenburg and H. E. Styke were Wausau visitors the past week.

Miss Marion Altenburg is spending a couple of weeks with her aunt, Mrs. Henry Kronenwetter.

Mrs. A. Kling and daughter Miss Rosie visited friends and relatives in Stevens Point a couple of days recently.

The past week a large number of autos, motorcycles and other methods of quick transportation passed through this village.

John Farrish and party of Grand Rapids were callers at the home of G. C. Knoller Sunday, while passing through here with their auto.

Miss Emma Flotteau closed her school in the Marchel district a couple of weeks ago, after a successful year, and is now visiting friends in St. Paul.

Robert Kickbusch of Wausau with members of his family and friends were Dancy visitors an evening recently, making the trip in the former's seven passenger touring car.

John Mathie and family of Wausau and Mrs. Mathie's sister, Miss Lehan of Green Bay, called on Dancy friends Saturday on their way home from Grand Rapids, where they spent the

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Mrs. Henry Morrill returned to her home at Rhinelander the past week. She was called here on account of the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. Frank Bampton, who is now much improved in health.

Quite a large class was confirmed in the German Lutheran church in this village last Sunday. Rev. C. Ristow of Auburndale is the pastor who has charge of this mission and is doing very good work. Several improvements have been made on the church recently and a nice new organ added.

CUSTER.

Rev. Father Schemmer, Miss Katherine Schemmer, Emmet and Miss Jennie Leary and their cousin, Miss Gertrude Meehan, drove from Custer to attend the Senior class play at Stevens Point, Monday evening.

Miss Jennie Leary and her cousin, Miss Gertrude Meehan, a teacher in one of the Grand Forks, N. D., schools, are spending the week at Neshkoro, visiting their aunt, Mrs. Gernon and uncle, John Morrissey. From there they will go to Milwaukee to visit relatives. Before returning home, Miss Meehan with her sister, Miss Anna, will visit New York, Niagara Falls, Boston and other eastern cities.

BELMONT.

O. D. Sawyer and wife spent Sunday at Paul Gray's near Manawa.

The Crystal Lake boys played ball with the Blaine nine last Sunday.

Dan Hickey and wife of Lanark spent last Sunday with her parents here.

Mrs. Will Kibbler and brother, Bert Pray, visited at Ed. Newton's in Oasis last Sunday.

Miss Lizzie Casey is at home, having completed her school work in Wild Rose for this year.

Willie Sanders of this town and Miss Ethel Spear of Lanark were married in Stevens Point June 6th.

Mrs. Fred Gray has returned from Freeport, Ill., where she went to help care for her sister-in-law.

Mrs. Clarence Collier and Mrs. Peter Peterson attended the W. R. C. convention at Fond du Lac last week.

MECHAN.

Byron Ward of Stockton was a business caller here last week Friday.

Mrs. Jennie Cussman is visiting relatives at Valley Junction this week.

Wm. Gaulke, Jr., drove over from Kellner Sunday and spent the day visiting with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Barrows moved to Jordan last week. We are sorry to have them go away.

Several members of the Sons of Veterans' camp attended the Grand Army encampment at Fond du Lac last week.

Quite a number of our old settlers attended the picnic at Stevens Point last Saturday. All report a pleasant time.

Mrs. Myrtle Smith and children went to Gillingham, Saturday, where Mr. Smith is employed at carpenter work. The family will remain there for some time.

A party consisting of about 30 of our young people gathered at the home of Fred Fox last Saturday evening and tendered a surprise to Miss Nellie Gustin, teacher in the Grant school. It was a farewell party and Miss Gustin was presented with a beautiful present as a token of remembrance.

KNOWLTON.

James Allen has returned after a prolonged absence in other states.

C. E. Guenther treated a party to an auto ride to Marshfield, Sunday, returning in the evening.

Miss Julia Minnebank, a popular young lady of Grand Rapids, is visiting Miss Sadie Heath for a week.

The citizens of Knowlton are pleased to see their station agent, Mr. Rooth, back again after a ten days' absence.

The Maeder orchestra dance truly scored a success. A large crowd with popular music made an enjoyable event.

The creamery is receiving a large patronage. The farmer seems contented in this up to date dairying country.

The new views of this section that have recently been taken promise to be bits of interesting scenery. Knowlton views are usually among the most popular.

Knowlton can now boast of quite a fleet of launches and row boats. They present a fine appearance when in active service on this beautiful stretch of river that our village can well be proud of. It is certainly one of the finest views known.

M. Raysack, wife and children were quite badly shaken up Sunday night when their horse ran away as they were returning home from a drive. Dr. Daniels of Mosinee was called and dressed the bruises. He found they had escaped serious injury.

At last summer has come with its blooms and its sweets; We truly believe appreciation it meets.

PLAINFIELD.

John Weber spent Friday and Saturday in Milwaukee.

Vernie Potter has been very sick several days with the black measles.

Mrs. Alfred Rozell has been on the sick list and under the care of a physician this week.

Dr. Searls has purchased a saddle horse and now makes some of his professional trips in the saddle.

Mrs. Clara Milne and mother, Mrs. David Lant, visited relatives near Waupaca Thursday and Friday.

The Plover paper mill team went to Almond, Sunday, where they crossed bats with the Almond boys. The score resulted 15 to 3 in favor of Almond.

Henry Pellersell of Grand Rapids was in Plainfield Friday visiting at J. Perrine's. Mr. Pellersell has been spending the past year in New Mexico with his wife who is in poor health and who is still in the south.

Albert Spencer, who has been in poor health several months, left Friday in company with his physician, Dr. Early, for Rochester, Minn., where he will be examined at the hospital in that city. It is not known as yet whether he will have an operation.

On Friday last L. W. Chapman disposed of the fine residence he recently purchased of F. J. Luce. The new purchaser is W. H. Fields, editor of the Plainfield Sun. In the deal Mr. Chapman takes Mr. Fields' new residence near the High school as part payment.

WAS MUCH RESPECTED

Eli P. Scribner, of Buena Vista, Called After Long Illness With Heart Trouble—Funeral Held Sunday.

Eli P. Scribner passed away at his home in Buena Vista, last Thursday, after having been in poor health for the past three years, being troubled with his heart, and for a year prior to the final summons he had been very feeble.

Mr. Scribner was born at Pierpont, Ashtabula county, Ohio, Nov. 23, 1845, and was in the 65th year of his age. He was married in his native county to Miss Eliza Parmelee in 1866, and then moved to this county in 1868, locating upon a farm in Buena Vista, which had been the family homestead ever since. Mrs. Scribner died in 1873, leaving two sons, Chas., now of Buena Vista, and Leonard C., a business man and alderman of this city. July 4, 1875, Mr. Scribner was married to Miss Isabel Russell of Buena Vista, who survives him, together with three children, Wm., who resides at home, and Mrs. Ida Belle Nesbitt and Mrs. Anna Maud Hamilton, of Oxford, Wis. He also leaves two sisters, Mrs. Rhoda Roath, of Kingsville, Ohio, and Mrs. Chester Frick, of Pierpont, Ohio. The deceased was one of Portage county's most honorable citizens, conscientious and upright in all the walks of life, a man who believed in doing that which he thought was right and practiced what he believed. As a consequence he was respected by all who knew him.

The funeral was held from the church at Keene at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon, Rev. E. G. Roberts of Almond, assisted by Rev. U. E. Gibson of Bancroft, officiating, with interment in the cemetery at Liberty Corners. The funeral, which was one of the largest ever seen in that section, was attended by friends from various parts of the county. The three sons, Chas., Leonard and Wm. Scribner, two sons-in-law, John Nesbitt and David Hamilton, and a relative, Wm. Russell, acted as pallbearers at the house and grave, and Geo. McGinley, Gay Springer, Chas. Newby, Irving Albertie, Lyman Precourt and Wm. Shelburn performed that duty at the church.

Gets Porto Rico Position.

Last Sunday's Chicago Record-Herald contained a good likeness of Miss Lulu Gross of Chippewa Falls, who has been appointed deputy clerk of the court at Ponce, Porto Rico, at a salary of \$1,200 per annum. Miss Gross and three other young ladies from her home town have accepted positions in Porto Rico, secured for them by Hon. J. J. Jenkins, recently appointed United States district judge of the island. Lulu has a number of personal friends in Stevens Point, she having visited here frequently with her sister, Mrs. E. A. Krembs, now of Merrill.

NOTICE FOR BIDS.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Public Works of the city of Stevens Point, Wisconsin, will receive bids for the improvement of North 2nd street, from the south line of Washington street to the north line of North street, by constructing thereon a macadam pavement, together with cement curb and gutter, according to the plans and specifications now on file in the office of the clerk of the city of Stevens Point, up to the 15th day of July, 1910, at 12 o'clock noon.

All bids should be sealed, directed to the Board of Public Works. Bidders are required to bid separately for the constructing of the macadam pavement, for the cement curb and gutter and for doing the excavating and filling required. A form of contract has been prepared and each of the bids should be accompanied with the contract signed by the bidder and securities, complete except the signature on the part of the city, and no consideration will be given to bids not so prepared.

The Board of Public Works reserves the right to reject any and all bids. The Board of Public Works likewise reserves the right to pay for said improvement in street improvement bonds, for the whole or part of said work, which said bonds will become a lien upon the several parcels and pieces of property affected by said work.

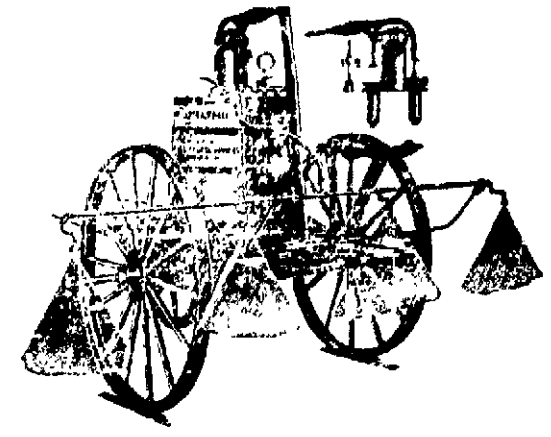
Dated this 15th day of June, 1910.

W. F. Owen
A. J. Conneen
R. K. McDonald
Board of Public Works.

Frank Ball Gets License.
Among the marriage licenses recently issued by the county clerk of Oneida county, was one for Wm. F. Ball to Delia McKelvey, both of Rhinelander. "Frank" Ball, by which name he is better known to his friends, is a brother of John Ball, of this city, and in years gone by was associated with the latter in business here. He is the father of Mrs. H. D. Boston.

Bob Alban Getting Better.
Robt. Alban is visiting a week or two at his mother's home on Church street and incidentally trying to drive an attack of inflammatory rheumatism out of his system. He was seized with this terribly painful ailment while traveling in southern Minnesota, but with the aid of osteopathic treatments he was able to come home, in a few days and is now improving rapidly.

Elmira High Pressure Sprayer



Our car has arrived. Three sizes to choose from: 4-row, 60 gallons; 5-row, 100 gallons; 6-row, 110 gallons. All equipped with Double-acting High Power Pumps. Either galvanized steel or solid brass piping. Nothing delicate about an Elmira. All parts big, strong and simple.

We introduced a few Elmiras here last year by selling to the following well known farmers:

Chas. Eckels, Plover, R. F. D. 1.
Frank A. Frost, Plover, R. F. D. 1.
A. J. Berry, Plover, R. F. D. 1.
C. W. Entzinger, Plover, R. F. D. 1.
A. Prain, Jr., Plover, R. F. D. 1.
F. H. Huntley, Plover, R. F. D. 1.
Andrew Yokers, Sr., Plover, R. F. D. 1.

Ask any of them. They will tell you right and straight. After they told us we decided to drop all other makes and handle none but Elmiras hereafter.

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A Two Cent Stamp Brings This Drug Store to Your Door

If you live outside the quick reaching distance of the KREMBS DRUG STORE, if you find it unhandy to come to our store in person, just mail a letter or a postcard and we will promptly send to you : : :

ANYTHING YOU WANT BY RETURN MAIL.

Tell us what you want and we will select the goods as carefully as you would and send them to you RUSH. We have everything any Drug Store sells and we will give you the best of service and satisfaction.

Try This—Send Us a Large or Small Order Today.

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"The Rexall Store"

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436-438 MAIN STREET

Third Week of The June Sale

<p>100 pieces Challies and Lawns— All This Week.....</p> <p>10 dozen Ladies' White Aprons— All This Week.....</p> <p>20 pieces Curtain Muslins—extra values— All This Week.....</p> <p>50 dozen Ladies' Sleeveless Vests— All This Week.....</p> <p>50 pieces Ribbon—from No. 80 to 6 inches wide— (comes in Messaline, Moire and Plain Taffeta) All This Week.....</p>	<p>4c per yard</p> <p>25c each</p> <p>10c per yard</p> <p>8c</p> <p>25c per yard</p>
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200 Ladies' and Children's Parasols—
All colors—Special Showing All This Week.....

10c to \$3.00

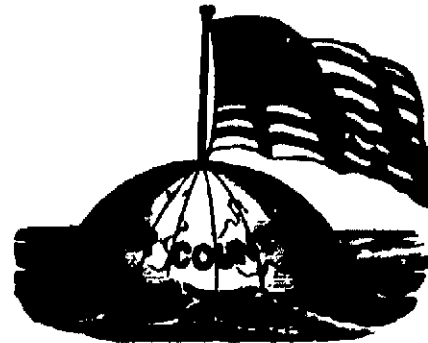
We carry the largest and most complete line of Ladies' and Children's Good Hosiery in the city. Come and see.....

10c to \$1.50 per pair

Why Take Alcohol?

Are you thin, pale, easily tired, lack your usual vigor and strength? Then your digestion must be poor, your blood thin, your nerves weak. You need a tonic and alternative. You need Ayer's Sarsaparilla, the only Sarsaparilla entirely free from alcohol. We believe your doctor would endorse these statements, or we would not make them. Ask him and find out. Follow his advice. **J.C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.**

The endorsement of your doctor will certainly greatly increase your confidence in Ayer's Pills as a family laxative. Liver pills. All vegetable. Ask your doctor about them.



STEVENS POINT, WIS., JUNE 15, 1910.

SERIAL
STORYThe
LAST VOYAGE
of the
DONNA ISABEL

By Randall Parrish

Author of
"Bob Hampton of Placer," etc.

Illustrations by Dearborn Melvill

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SYNOPSIS.

The story opens with the introduction of John Stephens, an adventurer, a Massachusetts man marooned by authorities at Valparaiso, Chile. Being interested in mining operations in Bolivia, he was denounced by Chile as an insurrectionist and as a consequence was hiding. At his hotel his attention was attracted by an Englishman and a young woman. Stephens rescued the young woman from a drunken officer. He was thanked by her. Admiral of the Peruvian navy, confronted Stephens, told him that war had been declared between Chile and Peru and offered him the office of captain. He desired that that night the Esmeralda, a Chilean vessel, should be captured. Stephens accepted the commission. Stephens met a money crew, to which he was assigned. He gave them final instructions. They boarded the vessel. They successfully captured the vessel supposed to be the Esmeralda through strategy. Capt. Stephens gave directions for the capture of the craft. He entered the cabin and discovered the English woman and her maid. Stephens quickly learned the wrong name of the vessel. It was Lord Darlington's private yacht. He explained the situation to her ladyship. Then First Mate Tuttle laid bare the plot, saying that the Sea Queen had been taken in order to go to the Antarctic circle. Tuttle explained that on a former voyage he had learned that the Donna Isabel was lost in 1753. He had found it frozen in a huge mass of ice on an island and contained much gold. Stephens consented to be the captain of the expedition. He told Lady Darlington that he was greatly alarmed, but expressed confidence in him. The Sea Queen encountered a vessel in the fog. Stephens attempted to communicate. This caused a fierce struggle and he was overcome. Tuttle finally secured the situation. Then the Sea Queen headed south again. Under Tuttle's guidance the vessel made progress toward its goal. De Nova, the mate, told Stephens that he believed Tuttle was acting as skipper insane because of his queer actions. Stephens was awakened by crashing of glass. He saw Tuttle in the grip of a sham of religious mania and overcame him. The sailor upon regaining his senses was taken ill. Tuttle committed suicide by shooting. Upon vote of the crew Stephens assumed the leadership and the men decided to continue the treasure hunt, the islands being supposed to be only 200 miles distant. Tuttle was buried in the sea. Lady Darlington pronouncing the service. Stephens speaking from the deck saw the ghost, supposed to have formed the basis for Tuttle's religious mania. Upon advice of Lady Darlington, Stephens started to probe the ghost. He came upon Lieut. Sanchez, the drunken officer he had humbled in Chile. He found that at Sanchez's inspiration, Engineer McKnight played "ghost" to scare the men into giving up the quest. Stephens announced that he was going to the spot where Tuttle's quest was supposed to be. The crew was anxious to go on in further search. De Nova and Stephens conquered them in a fist fight. Lady Darlington thanked him. The Sea Queen started northward. She was wrecked in a fog. Stephens, De Nova, Lady Darlington and her maid being among those to set out in a life boat. Ten more rescued. Stephens saw only one chance in a thousand for life. Lady Darlington confessed her love to Stephens and he did likewise. Lady Darlington told her life story; how

CHAPTER XXII.—Continued.

"Oh, I know you do. It is because I know you do that I wish to tell you my story. It is my love which makes me so anxious that you should understand, so when the end comes we can go together, loving each other, and not afraid. Do you recognize me? Have you ever realized who I am?"

I could only shake my head, wondering at the strange question.

"No? And yet I have known you ever since that first long talk we had together in the cabin. It seemed so odd, such a strange freak of destiny, that you should have been associated in any way with my old life, and yet the very fact that you were, first created the bond that has since drawn us together. You were no longer a mere sea-adventurer, but an old-time friend and equal. From that day all was different. I could fight it back, but could never conquer what that discovery meant. Oh, how small this world is! Did you ever hear of Doris Winslow?"

A moment the vague, clouded memory clouded me, tantalized me. Then in a flash the revelation came.

"My sister's chum at Wellesley?"

The tears sprang glistening into her eyes, her handclasp tightening.

"Yes; does it seem possible? You never knew me, except by that name. My father died during the second year of my attendance there; then mother and I went abroad, and my education was completed on the continent. I am not finding fault, but—but it was all most unfortunate; it brought me into real life with a false understanding of everything—wrong ideals, wrong standards. We were known to be wealthy, many considered me beautiful; my mother's one ambition was

to achieve recognized social standing in Europe, and from the first I was destined to be a means to that end. My education, surroundings, social environment, were all shaped with this purpose in view. In spite of myself the result was accomplished.

"I was merely a girl of 17, desiring little but a good time, and accustomed all my life to the guidance of others. Lord Darlington joined our party in Italy, and we journeyed together for a week through the Italian Alps, finally going on board his yacht as invited guests for a cruise in the Mediterranean. He was most attentive to me, yet I gave it scarcely a thought. I hardly realized what was taking place—what it all meant, but—but one day we went ashore, and—and we were married at the British legation in Athens. That day I was a careless girl; the next morning found me a woman, regretful, aroused from a dream, yet yielding to the inevitable. Whatever I suffered was borne alone; not even my mother ever heard me complain."

She sat looking forth over the crests of the sea, the moonlight reflecting back into her face. The sail swung in and shadowed her.

"Within a month we went to England, to Darlington hall, where everything was at my command, and later to London, during the social season. I had all that the world seems to value at my feet and at first I managed to be happy after a fashion. The excitement and exhilaration kept me alive and interested, but in time the glitter and artificiality of it all wearied me; more and more deeply I realized the sordid manner in which I had been sold, and I grew to hate those things which had purchased me. It was not Lord Darlington—he was more father than husband, humoring me in every way, and secretly regretful for his part in the transaction. I became ill, begged for the sea, and we went aboard in his yacht. He was not unwilling, but to my mother it proved a constant har-



"Jack, I Have Waited So Long, So Long, Now All I Can Say Is, I Love You."

ship. Only her anxiety to prevent any rupture between us caused her to go on board. Yet even when I had recovered health I would not go back; that life would have killed me. Out in the open I could breathe and live; it yielded me courage to continue as I was."

She bent forward, bringing her face once again into the revealing moonlight, her eyes frankly open to mine.

"I only wish I could make you realize how drearily lonely that life became. There was no knowledge of love to complicate the situation, and at first I even felt a sense of gratitude toward Lord Darlington for many acts of kindness and the consideration shown me. This changed, however, as I began slowly to comprehend the selfishness of his motives—that his actions arose merely from a certain pride in my youthful appearance and the advantages to be derived from my wealth. My mother soon alienated my affections by always allying herself with him. Finally I had no one to whom I could turn for comfort or advice. I felt entirely alone, and grew silent, suspicious, and adverse to all social pleasures. The vows of marriage rested lightly on Lord Darlington, but for that I did not greatly care, except that the knowledge snapped the last weak bond between us. Almost wild to escape from Europe and its torturing memories I finally planned an extensive yachting trip around the world. I was impulsive, headstrong, even hopeful that I might be permitted to invite a few congenial friends and sail alone. To my surprise Lord Darlington expressed pleasure in the idea, and even persuaded my mother to accompany us."

Her face sank suddenly into her hands, her body trembling.

"I bore it all smilingly, and enjoyed the sea. But I was a woman now, bitterly resenting the manner in which I had been bartered in the matrimonial market. I knew nothing of love, except as I perceived it in the lives of others, but I was hungry, starving for it. We arrived at Valparaiso; this strange adventure occurred to me, and—then I met you."

Her hands went out again to me, and I caught them eagerly.

"That—that day in the cabin, I—I knew you for one of my own class; I knew you for a true man, a gentleman; I—I read the love in your eyes, and I should have been an angel not to have welcomed it. Oh, God knows I tried not to do so! I prayed for help to resist my own heart, but the help was not given me. Now I comprehend it was not meant that I should resist. The end was in sight even from the beginning. Love is more than ceremony, and can make even death sweet. I have no sense of evil as I look into your eyes; I have come into my inheritance, the rightful inheritance of every woman—love. Even if it is only for a day, it is mine—mine by the gift of God. Oh, Jack, Jack, I have waited so long, so long, and now all I can say, all I desire to say, is, I love you!"

Oh, that scene! that desolate, dreary, God-forsaken, hopeless scene—the heaving waters, the cold sky, the ice-gleam, the awful expanse of barrenness all about. Did ever love come to mortal before or since in such a spot, or amid such utter helplessness? But I forgot all, though even as I bent to her lips she begged me, falteringly, not to touch her yet. There, in the heart of that Antarctic sea, cast-aways, drifting to what seemed certain death, we found in this confession a happiness that the world without would have sternly denied us. Ay! and we were stronger for it, braver for it; our eyes aglow, our hearts pulsing to the one great music of the universe.

"Tell it to me," she whispered smilingly.

"I love you."

"And I am happier than in all my life before."

We spoke but briefly as we sat thus, my hand firm upon the tiller, my eyes never forgetful of those great surges smiting us. Indeed, there was little to say, for we had no future to discuss, no plans to formulate. We could only live out the night, with the morrow a blank before us. Yet there was nothing of all this in the girl's face upturned and happy, nor did I permit my eyes to mar her happiness. We were together, understanding each other, and for the moment that was enough. Yet in some way my pulse beat stronger, my will to conquer this demon sea became mighty. God helping me, this love-life should not end here—end in mystery and oblivion; those restless waters should not overcome us forever. I would fight them for her sake and my own! The stars and waves defied such determination, yet I only sufficed in my seat, a new strength animating my body, a new faith stimulating my soul. Fifteen hundred miles! Father of Mercy, guide us! Yet it had been done, and it might be done again.

"What is it, Jack?" she questioned softly. "Of what were you thinking?"

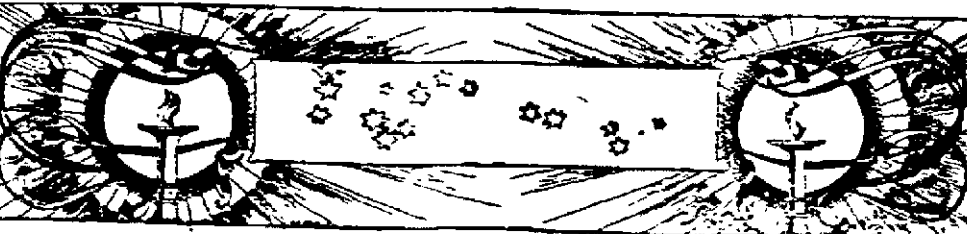
"Of the stiff battle ahead of us, dear; the fight for life and love across these leagues of ocean."

"For life and love! Do you mean you dream of reaching safety?"

"I mean to struggle for it; to do all a man and sailor may. If we die, now, sweetheart, it will be to lose more than ever before was possible."

Her cheeks flushed instantly, her lashes drooping.

"No, no; if we win safety it will only be to lose all else. But the thought is impossible; no skill, no courage, no strength of arm or heart could ever work such a miracle of deliverance. I will not dream it, for how



Why Streams Are Disappearing.

Anyone who has reached the age of 75 has noticed the disappearance of the small brooks where he played in his district school days, while larger ones have shrunk to summer threads, and rivers that filled their banks all the year are hardly more than rivulets in summer. Commissioner Whipple of New York state tells up that the upper Hudson, in August of 1907, had no more than two inches of water where it used to roll a heavy volume. There is substantial agreement that this change has been due to the denudation of our hills and valleys of the water-holding trees. It takes a century to grow such forests as we found covering the continent; it has taken half a century to destroy them.—The Independent.

Work and Nerves.

Work, again, is the enemy of insomnia. The sufferer from bad or broken sleep is liable to give up duties or to be slack in their performance, to abandon exercise and forget his usual hobbies because of his anticipation of a night of distress. In reality, he ought to prepare himself for sleep by congenial activity, in which his mind will be weaned away from the fear of not sleeping.

Once more, work is an enemy to the fears and impulsions, to the strange

could I go back, go back to that old life again with my heart full of love for you? That would be a fate worse than death; it would be dishonor."

I did not answer, did not even look into her face.

"Surely you do not mean it, Jack?" almost pleadingly, her hand reaching blindly out for mine. "You can not bring me to such shame, such trial?"

"It is not shame," I answered earnestly, all my soul revolting against the word, "it may be trial, but it is not shame. In the face of death you have confessed you love me, and in the face of death I shall endeavor to retain that love. I should be no man if I did less. Shame! Do not use that term between us. What was there holy or divine in the selling of you to that English peer? Why should that act of mere barter hold us apart? The law of God is paramount to the law of man. Doris, you are mine, although you yet withhold the pledge of the lips; mine everywhere and forever, mine here in this desolate reach of sea, and mine yonder in the great world, if we ever again attain it. I never will yield you up to another; never relinquish my claim. Against nature and man I shall endeavor to hold what is my own."

One moment I gazed down into her eyes, penetrating to the gray depths, and perceiving there a sudden outburst of passion which she did not even seek to conceal. It was a revelation absolute and complete, a revelation never to be forgotten. Yet she did not touch me, did not answer in words, and in another instant her glance turned away out over the grim desolation of waters. I was still looking at her, intoxicated by what I had seen, when she pointed excitedly forward.

"In heaven's name, what is that?"

Hardly had my glance shifted when Kelly leaped to his feet, his voice raised in a wild yell.

"Father of God, sorr, there's a ship!"

CHAPTER XXIII.

In Which We Board a Derelict.

I saw the sleepers cast off their coverings and rise up startled and staring, but I could only gaze dumbly at the apparition before us, doubting the evidence of my own eyes and unable to utter a sound. At that first glance I believed the thing illusion, a mirage of the deep, a shadow-ship mocking us with semblance of reality. The cold silvery light played along her glistening side, causing the whole extent of the vessel to gleam back into our eyes like a great mirror, while the very shape and form of the silently gliding specter appeared a survival from out the dead past, a ghastly relic of centuries gone uplifted from those somber depths below. The silence, gloom, the dim outline of the great hull, the strange glimmer of it from bow to stern; all combined to make it seem a ghost-ship, sported with by the waves. It moved slowly under the impelling power of the wind beating against the broad high stern, the blunt bows scarcely rippling the water, passing almost directly across our track, appearing more like a painted picture than anything constructed of wood and iron. Out of the night, dim, visionary, it swam before us, a weird, uncanny thing, chilling the blood with its ghostliness. I rubbed my eyes, staring at the silvery reflection, my heart pulsing with a horror which set me trembling.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

IMPORTANT NEWS
NOTES OF A WEEKLATEST HAPPENINGS THE WORLD
OVER TOLD IN ITEMIZED
FORM.

EVENTS HERE AND THERE

Condensed into a Few Lines for the
Perusal of the Busy Man—
Latest Personal Information.

PERSONAL.

Frank Jay Gould, sixth child of Jay Gould, announced to his intimate friends his intention of renouncing America as a place of residence and making Paris his permanent home.

Dr. John B. Murphy of Chicago was elected president of the American Medical association at St. Louis. Dr. George H. Simmons of Chicago was re-elected as secretary.

Richard C. Kerens, Jr., son of the United States ambassador to Austria, is recovering at his home in St. Louis from an over-dose of paraldehyde.

King Victor Emmanuel and Queen Helena have returned to Rome from the scene of the earthquake in Avellino province.

A second son has been born to Mr. and Mrs. John D. Rockefeller, Jr., at Pocantico Hills. Mother and child are doing well.

Miss Mildred Carter, daughter of John Ridgely Carter, American minister to the Balkan states, and Viscount Acheson, son of the countess of Gosford, were married in London.

The Canadian educator, Prof. Goldwin Smith, who for many weeks had been ill as the result of a fall, died at Toronto, aged eighty-seven.

President Taft nominated William D. Crum of South Carolina to be minister resident at Monrovia, Liberia. Crum is the negro whose appointment by Mr. Roosevelt as collector of the port at Charleston, S. C., raised such a storm of protest in the south.

Rev. C. A. Hallberg, pastor of a Swedish Lutheran church at Sheffield, Pa., was found dead in a seat on a Lake Shore train near Toledo, O.

Gen. Sir William Francis Butler is dead in London, aged seventy-two years. He served in Egypt and South Africa and on special missions to Canada. He commanded at Aldershot in 1900-1901.

GENERAL NEWS.

The skat experts of the country met in Detroit for the annual congress and tourney of the North American Skat league.

Forty-two counts charging the Western Union Telegraph company with an equal number of violations of the bucket shop law of March 1, 1909, were contained in an indictment returned at Washington, D. C., by the federal grand jury.

Consolidation of the Commercial National and the Continental National banks of Chicago virtually was accomplished at a conference of committees appointed by the board of directors of the two institutions to work out the terms.

Charles R. Heike, secretary of the sugar trust, and Ernest W. Gerbracht, secretary of the Williamsburg refinery, were found guilty in the federal court of conspiring to defraud the government out of millions in sugar duties.

Breaking his left arm in the fourth round, Ad Wolgast, lightweight champion had a narrow escape from a defeat at the hands of an old enemy, Jack Richmond, at Milwaukee, with whom he has fought two drawn battles.

The Arkansas State Republican convention here unanimously nominated for governor, Andrew I. Roland, son of a confederate soldier and three times elected judge of that county by Democrats.

The Ohio river and Cairo, Ill., were swept by a severe gale, uprooting trees and setting boats adrift.

Robert E. Peary, the explorer, has left Berlin for London, despite a suit for \$10,000 filed against him at the German capital by Rudolph Francke, an aid of Dr. F. A. Cook, who makes a claim for furs said to have been taken from him in the far north.

Wall street heard of a \$100,000,000 combination which is being formed and which, if perfected, will doubtless be called the "Bathtub Trust." Sixteen companies are involved in the proposed combination. They manufacture not only tubs but almost every other kind of sanitary enameling devices.

No Ohio city or village can contract with a labor union to employ none except union labor in municipal enterprises, according to an opinion of Attorney General Denman.

Overlook Military academy at Norwalk, Conn., was destroyed by fire. The 60 pupils escaped.

Theodore Roosevelt is homeward bound. Accompanied by Mrs. Roosevelt, Kermit, Ethel and Mrs. Nicholas Longworth, he sailed from Southampton on the Hamburg-American line steamer Kaiserin Augusta Victoria. The steamer is due at quarantine on the night of June 17, but the former president will not land in New York until the following morning.

The mutilated body of Mrs. Porter Carlton, wife of Porter Carlton, son of a judge of Washington, was found in a trunk by fishermen in a lake near the village of Moltrasio, Italy. After the discovery of the body search was made for Carlton, but he was found to have disappeared. An ex-Russian postal official named Constantin Ispoloff was arrested, however, on suspicion of having been an accomplice in the murder.

In order to obtain possession of dutiable property a party of Chicago and Kenosha women, headed by Mrs. C. W. Allen, will have to pay \$10,000, according to statements of New York customs officers.

An electric storm swept over the southern states, one man losing his life in the flood at Fort Smith, Ark.

Permission has been refused to Oscar Hammerstein, the impresario of New York, to visit Russia. It was Mr. Hammerstein's intention to go to St. Petersburg to engage Russian dancers.

The Chinese government has decreed that English shall be the official language for scientific and technical education in that country, according to reports which reached New York.

Plunging in his automobile through the open draw of the Superior viaduct at Cleveland, O., into the bank of the Cuyahoga river, 90 feet below, Fred R. Blee, an automobile dealer, was instantly killed.

For what he believes to have been a reflection on his personal integrity made by Congressman F. Burton Harrison of New York in a newspaper interview growing out of the debate on the Ballinger-Pinchot affair, the president bluntly refused to see Harrison in the executive offices. Harrison called with a delegation of prominent men of New York who desired to shake hands with the president.

A message of felicitation to President Taft, the adoption of a platform strongly indorsing the national administration, the selection of William D. Connor of Marshfield as state chairman, the choosing of a campaign committee of 22 members, or two from each district was the extent of the business transacted at the closing day's session of the conservative Republican state convention of Wisconsin.

The conference report on the river and harbor bill, containing the provision for the lakes-to-gulf deep waterway survey, was adopted in the senate by a vote of 45 to 12, and also was adopted in the house.

Indictments against Mrs. Jeanette Stewart Ford, a leading figure in the trial of Charles L. Warriner, now serving a term in the Ohio penitentiary for confessed embezzlement, have been dismissed at Cincinnati.

Official dispatches from Managua, Nicaragua, state that the war is fast reducing western Nicaragua to a state of panic. The exportation of fruit products has been prohibited and money exchange is rapidly increasing.

The postal savings bank bill passed the house by a vote of 192 to 113, receiving 24 Democratic votes, although it was a Republican caucus measure. This is the last of the president's legislative measures to have to pass the house at this session—the last, at least, that the president will insist on.

In deporting William Peterson, who reached New York, the authorities held that as he had only his pen to depend upon for a living, he was undesirable. Peterson lived in New York for 12 years, but did not take out naturalization papers. He was returning from a visit to Denmark.

A course of lectures on agriculture is being delivered in the New York Tombs in order to induce prisoners to lead a better life.

The British steamer Metis reached port having on board Miss Elizabeth Eriksson, her father, Capt. P. A. Eriksson, and nine men of the crew of the barkentine Good News of Philadelphia, who were picked up 450 miles out on the Atlantic after a three-days' fight for life in two small boats.

"At the first shot fired against the American flag on an American vessel I will level the bluff." This was the reply made by Commander Hinea, commanding the American gunboat Duquesne, to a threat made by General Rivas of the Madrid force holding Bluefields bluff, to stop by force any vessel of whatever nationality entering the harbor.

Miss Margaretta Drexel, only daughter of Anthony J. Drexel of Philadelphia, was married to Viscount Mallett, eldest son of the earl of Winchester and Nottingham, in London.

According to information given from the rooms of Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, the suffragist leader, who recently went under an operation, she has passed the crisis of her illness.

WHO'S WHO-AND WHY

ROOT INFORMS ROOSEVELT



Elihu Root, former secretary of state, now United States senator from New York, has informed Colonel Roosevelt of all that has been going on in America since the mighty lion hunter went away. They met in London a few days ago and, to use a homely expression, Mr. Roosevelt "got an earful." Roosevelt had heard from Gifford Pinchot and the correspondents of the big newspapers in whom he had confidence many things, but he might have had some doubts until he met Senator Root at Dorchester house, the London home of Ambassador Reid. The insurgent movement, the Ballinger hearing, the fight on Cannon and what Taft has been doing, no doubt are now an open book to the former president.

If there is one man in the United States in whom Roosevelt has confidence it is Elihu Root. When he was president Roosevelt listened more closely to the advice of Root than to any other man. Had Root been free of former legal connections with the big corporations it is believed in many places that Roosevelt would have stood for Root instead of Taft for his successor to the presidency.

Senator Root has gone to The Hague to present the argument of American fishermen who claim the right under the treaty of 1818 to take fish and bait within the territorial waters of Newfoundland. The case is really of much greater international importance than at first appears.

What really is involved is the right of a British colony to curtail the rights conferred upon aliens by treaty. It might easily follow that if The Hague tribunal should sustain the right of Newfoundland to restrict rights conferred by treaty upon Americans, then the various American states and foreign nations might do likewise, involving the parent government in serious complications with the powers with which it has treaty relations.

MILLIKAN IS NEW WIZARD



Robert A. Millikan, professor of physics at the University of Chicago, is a new "wizard" of the electrical world. Professor Millikan broke into the Edison and Marconi class when he captured a single ion. What is an ion? you ask. Well, you needn't be ashamed to ask the question, for Professor Millikan found it necessary to explain it to the Sigma Chi society of the university, before which he was lecturing.

Here's the definition: An ion is an atom, or a piece of an atom, a molecule or a group of molecules which carries the electrical charge. Now you know what an ion is. But listen!

By capturing a single ion and putting a tag on it Professor Millikan has swept away much of the mystery surrounding the nature of the electrical charge since the discovery of electricity. Besides capturing an individual ion, the long-misunderstood carrier of electricity, he has viewed in his laboratory peppy specks of electricity on charged bodies, disproving the theory that electricity is an "imponderable fluid," and upholding the indefinite "ionic hypothesis" of Faraday, who gave his theory to the world in 1830.

Also he has proved the kinetic theory, that molecules of air are in rapid motion, and has measured the "energy of agitation" of these molecules.

That the university professor has isolated and toyed with one of the elementary units out of which all matter is made is a conclusion to be drawn from the experiments, in pursuance of the recent trend of science, according to the University of Chicago authorities.

The actual catching of the single ions was accomplished by the introduction of a "droplet" of oil between the plates of a horizontal air condenser. The presence of the ions became apparent owing to the action of the oil particles. Just like catching a bird by putting salt on its tail, isn't it?

WILSON FORCASTS DISASTER



"If she loses her self-possession America will stagger like France through fields of blood before she again finds peace and prosperity under the leadership of men who understand her needs."

The foregoing is one of the fiery sentences in a hot speech recently delivered by Dr. Woodrow Wilson, president of Princeton university, to the sons of Old Nassau at a banquet in Pittsburgh. Then, turning to the subject of churches, Dr. Wilson went on to say:

"I trust I may be thought among the last to blame the churches, yet I feel it my duty to say that they, at least the Protestant churches, are serving the classes and not the masses, of the people. They have more regard for pew rents than for the men's souls. They are depressing the level of Christian endeavor. It is the same with the universities. We look for the support of the wealthy and neglect our opportunities to serve the people."

"It is for this reason the state university is held in popular approval, while the privately supported institution to which we belong is coming to suffer a corresponding loss of esteem."

"While attending a recent Lincoln celebration I asked myself if Lincoln would have been as serviceable to the people of this country had he been a college man and I was obliged to say to myself that he would not."

"The processes to which the college man is subjected do not render him serviceable to the country as a whole. It is for this reason that I have dedicated every power in me to a democratic regeneration. The American college must become saturated in the same sympathies as the common people. The colleges of this country must be reconstructed from the top to the bottom. The American people will tolerate nothing that savors of exclusiveness. Their political parties are going to pieces. They are busy with their moral regeneration and they want leaders who can help them to accomplish it."

Pretty hot talk that for the president of a big educational institution like Princeton.

ILLINOIS BRIBE CASE JUDGE



Judge W. H. McSurely, of the Cook county circuit court, the jurist selected to try the first of the Illinois bribery cases, is a former member of the legislature and therefore better qualified than most judges would be to decide the issues. The judge knows the usages of the Illinois legislature and things that others might not understand will be plain to him without explanations by counsel or witnesses.

Learned counsel for Lee O'Neil Browne sought to have Judge McSurely quash the indictment against the accused representative. The lawyers spoke for two days against the true bill and maintained that even if it were good the court had no jurisdiction, for, it was maintained, if a crime was committed at all it was committed in Sanzom, not Cook county.

Then there was raised the novel plea that there is no law which makes it illegal to reward a member of the legislature after he has voted for a man for United States senator.

It didn't take Judge McSurely long to smash this sort of argument on the head. In summing up his decision Judge McSurely said:

"It seems clear from the reading of the statute that to give money corruptly to a legislator, in consideration that he has previously voted with partiality or favor, or otherwise contrary to law, is bribery; and whenever that crime is committed in that way, that is, wherever the money is given, there lies the venue."

"The order of the court is that the motion of the defendant to quash the indictment, and each count thereof, is denied."

The importance of the case, the first to be tried since the Lorimer charges were made, has attracted attention to Judge McSurely and his decisions and rulings as the trial proceeds will be watched with interest not only by the bar, but by citizens generally.

EUROPE DID HONOR TO FAMOUS AMERICAN

Rulers and People of Many Lands Greeted Him as Most Distinguished Citizen of United States --- His Lectures in Three Cities.

All Europe, kings and commoners alike, received Theodore as the most distinguished of living Americans. He was entertained by royalty and nobility everywhere he went, and always the people greeted him with vociferous applause. What possibly pleased the former president more than all this was the fact that literary and scientific circles received him as a man of letters and science and several learned societies elected him to membership.

In Paris, Christiania, Berlin and Oxford Mr. Roosevelt delivered scholarly public addresses and the literary and scientific circles opened to let him in and marveled at the wide scope of his knowledge.

The event connected with Mr. Roosevelt's European tour that aroused the most interest and excitement occurred immediately after his arrival in Italy early in April. Before he left Africa his desire to pay his respects to the pope had been conveyed to the Vatican and the holy father had intimated that he would be glad to see the distinguished American. About the same time former Vice-President Fairbanks was in Rome and had arranged for an audience at the Vatican which was cancelled by the pope because Mr. Fairbanks first addressed the Methodist mission in Rome. When Colonel Roosevelt reached the Eternal City he received, through the American minister, a message from Cardinal Merry del Val, papal secretary of state, to the effect that the pope would grant an audience to Mr. Roosevelt if he did not repeat the mistake made by Mr. Fairbanks. The colonel promptly called it all off, stating that as an independent American citizen he could not submit to such restrictions. The head of the Methodist mission tried to make religious capital out of this, and

vied with each other in doing honor to the visitor, and for amusement he was taken to the field of aviation, where he saw some exciting aeroplane flights.

Traveling northward somewhat leisurely, by way of Brussels, Amsterdam and Copenhagen, Mr. Roosevelt arrived at Christiania and delivered an address on international peace before the Nobel prize commission, which had awarded to him the Nobel peace prize for his successful efforts to end the Russian-Japanese war.

Emperor William had made great plans for the entertainment of the ex-president in Berlin, but the death of King Edward caused the curtailment of the program to a considerable extent. Instead of being the Kaiser's guest in the palace, Mr. Roosevelt stopped at the American embassy, and though William received him and dined him and showed him the German army in maneuvers, the more spectacular and public features were omitted. On May 12 Mr. Roosevelt delivered at the University of Berlin an address on modern civilization which was highly praised for its scholarly qualities.

Having been appointed special ambassador of the United States to attend the funeral of King Edward, Colonel Roosevelt next crossed the channel to England, and when the body of the dead monarch was carried to the tomb he was one of the remarkable crowd of royal personages and distinguished men that followed the gun carriage on which Edward's coffin was borne. After the funeral he was received by King George and Queen Mary and by the widowed queen mother, and in a quiet way made necessary by the mourning of the nation much attention was shown him. This culminated, in London, by a reception in the Guild Hall, at which the free-



COL. ROOSEVELT IN VENICE

Mr. Roosevelt thereupon canceled plans for a general reception to which the Methodists had been invited. Thus, with his usual luck and facility for "coming out on top," he had the best of the matter all around and his conduct was generally commended all over the world.

Mr. and Mrs. Roosevelt and Kermit

dom of the city in a gold casket was presented to him.

He was the guest, thereafter, of several prominent Englishmen, and on June 7 he delivered the Romanesque lecture at Oxford, which had been postponed by the demise of the king. This was the most pretentious of all his European addresses and the best his subject was "Biological Analogies in History."

The University of Cambridge honored Mr. Roosevelt by conferring upon him the degree of doctor of laws, and the occasion served to demonstrate his popularity with all classes. As Mr. Roosevelt accepted his diploma from the hands of Vice-Chancellor Mason, the students who crowded the galleries shouted "Teddy! Teddy!" and let down a large Teddy bear from the ceiling. The whole audience cheered and the colonel, as he passed out, smilingly patted the Teddy bear. Later that day Mr. Roosevelt addressed 700 graduates, on all kinds of topics.

On June 11 the traveler, together with Mrs. Roosevelt, Kermit and Miss Ethel, sailed on the Kaiserin Augusta Victoria on their way to New York and the rousing welcome that he knew was awaiting him from his fellow countrymen.

HENRY FORDYCE

That Cart-Wheel Hat.

Matinee crowds were making their way homeward, relates the New York Globe, into an already well-filled Broadway car came a fashionably attired young woman. Two women, already seated, pushed apart and managed to create a limited space between them—which they motioned to her to accept. She seated herself—or started to; then rose with a flushed face and an embarrassed air and seized a strap. "Wonder what's the trouble?" queried a male passenger of his neighbor. "You didn't notice it, eh?" was the response. "Well, you see both those women have cart-wheel hats. So has the other woman—and when she tried to sit down there simply wasn't room for the three wide-spreading hats all in a row."

Taking the Air in Austria.

were received by the king and queen of Italy and spent some days in that country. The colonel and his wife visited Venice and traveled once again the Riviera route that they passed over on their honeymoon, and next Mr. Roosevelt visited Vienna and Budapest, where he was given a royal welcome.

Paris was next on his itinerary, and there on April 23 he lectured in the Sorbonne before a great audience of savants and students. The municipal, and its officials, the president of France and various learned societies

STATE NEWS

Beloit.—Through the government census department Mrs. Guy Rohles has just discovered the whereabouts of her sister, Mrs. Kathryn Blake, whom she has not seen for forty-two years.

When a census enumerator called on Mrs. Rohles she asked him if it would be possible to get the address of her sister through the census bureau.

He advised her to write to Congressman Cooper. She did so and received from him a list of names. Following this up, she heard from her relative in Ottumwa, Ia.

Kenosha.—Ida Jansen, a Finnish girl, who came to Kenosha four years ago in search of a sweetheart, died from a broken heart at the hospital for the insane. The young woman was a member of a wealthy family in Finland and was engaged to marry a young Finlander. The young man was supposed to be in Kenosha and the young woman came here to meet him in the spring of 1906, expecting to be married on her arrival in Kenosha. When she reached here the young man had disappeared.

Waupaca.—Three prisoners escaped from the Waupaca county jail by sawing the bar that locked the door to the cage. After reaching the corridor it was an easy matter to remove enough bricks from beneath an outside window to gain freedom. It is believed that the saw was delivered to the men by a confederate from outside. The men were all awaiting a prosecution for burglary. They have not yet been recaptured.

Superior.—With his throat cut from ear to ear, the body of a man believed to be Magnus Nelson of Superior was found on the bay shore, a short distance from the Country club at Beltings park. Evidence indicating that the man might have been murdered has been found and is being investigated by the police.

Fond du Lac.—The annual council of the Episcopal diocese of Fond du Lac opened with conciliar mass in St. Paul's cathedral. Seventy priests and as many lay delegates marched in the procession from the cloister to the cathedral. Bishops Grafton and Weller were in attendance.

Mauston.—Robbers entered the schoolhouse, rummaged through several rooms, broke into the office and took about \$20 in cash which had been taken in at the junior declamatory contest.

Eau Claire.—Judge Sanborn of the United States court sentenced Charles Kabat of La Crosse to one year at Leavenworth penitentiary. He had pleaded guilty to counterfeiting.

Racine.—Two hundred and fifty union carpenters, who have been on a strike for three weeks returned to work, the boss carpenters having raised the scale of wages to 50 cents an hour.

Bloomington.—A gas log in the barber shop of F. A. Taylor exploded and the fire which followed ruined the interior of the building. The flames were extinguished before they reached the adjoining rooms. The loss is estimated at \$700.

Green Bay.—The three-year-old daughter of William Coppens died as the result of injuries received when struck by a street car.

Waukesha.—Rasmus Fredericksen, aged seventy-three years, postmaster at North Lake for the past thirty-five years and pioneer brewer, was found drowned in the millpond at North Lake. Mr. Fredericksen had been in poor health for some time. He was missed shortly before midnight by his wife, who gave the alarm and the whole town turned out with lanterns to search for him. The body was found in the millpond near the dam at 1:30 in the morning.

Platteville.—Fire destroyed the Shepherd mine in Platteville, the loss amounting to \$20,000, with no insurance. The fire started and could not be reached by the fire department hose on account of the distance beyond the city limits. William Thomas, engineer at the mine, was severely burned about the face and hands. Operations are suspended indefinitely.

Madison.—Six people from Little River, Oconto county, arrived in Madison to receive the Pasteur treatment in the institute connected with the state university. They were bitten by a dog which was brought to the institute last week and found to be suffering with rabies. They are Oliver and Peter Courchline and four boys, Bernard and Dewey Boyce, Harry Green and Reuben La Plant. They will remain at the institute three weeks.

Stoughton.—Fire in the F. B. Hyland department store, the largest in the city, caused a loss of \$10,000 to the stock and \$2,000 to the building, fully covered by insurance. The fire started in the ceiling of the fourth floor and was fought by the volunteer fire department. It was caused by crossed wires.

Racine.—At the annual conference of the Danish Lutheran church of the Chicago district five ministers were ordained, the service being witnessed by 800 people. The ministers were J. Knutson to Beresford, S. S.; A. P. Jensen to Edmore, Mich.; L. Christianson to Chicago; O. P. K. Hanson to Culbertson, Mont., and Jens P. Carlsen to Duluth, Minn.

Janeville.—Miss Sara L. von Wald of Kenosha and Joseph M. Kimball of Stevens Point composed the graduating class of the State institute for the Blind, who received their sheepskins.

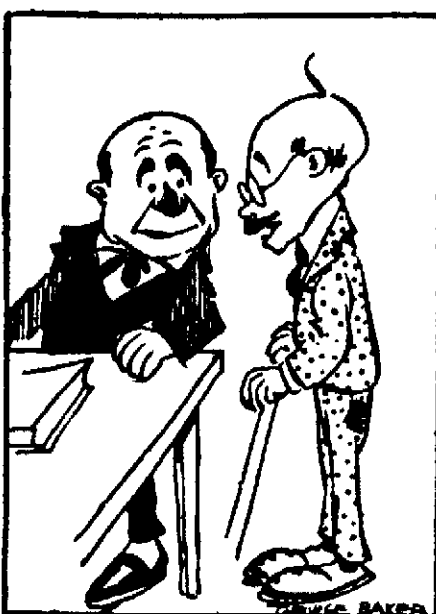
AT A CRITICAL PERIOD

Of Peculiar Interest to Women.

Mrs. Mary I. Remington, Eagleberry St., Gilroy, Cal., says: "I suffered so severely from pain and soreness over the kidneys that it was a task for me to turn over in bed. My kidneys acted very frequently, but the secretions were retarded and the passages scalded. I was weak and run down. After taking other remedies without benefit, I began using Doan's Kidney Pills and was permanently cured. I was going through the critical period of a woman's life at that time and after using Doan's Kidney Pills there was a miraculous change for the better in my health."

Remember the name—Doan's. For sale by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

AUTHORITY NOT HEARD FROM.



State's Attorney (to prospective juror)—Have you formed any opinion on this case?

Mr. Henpeck—No, sir. I don't think my wife has read anything about it yet.

Docile Cheese.

Andrew Carnegie, while eating with appetite and courage last month the dishes cooked by the young girls of the Margaret Morrison school in Pittsburgh, said:

"I have no fear before these experimental dishes. He who has eaten in France learns to eat boldly."

"Think of the French cheeses alone! 'Why, one afternoon in a restaurant in the Boulevard des Italiens, I heard a guest shout angrily: 'Walter, look here, this cheese is walking all over the table!'"

"Ah, have no fear, monsieur. It won't escape," the waiter replied. "If it goes too far, just call 'Jules, Jules!' It always answers to its name."

The Rude Visitor.

There is a story about the secretary of a golf club who was a man of diminutive stature. It was summer time, and the grass had been allowed to grow rather long. The secretary was playing in front of a visitor who was a very long driver, and kept dropping his ball in the neighborhood of the secretary all the way round. At last the little man could stand it no longer and walked back and remonstrated with the visitor on his conduct, but the only reply he got was: "If you would cut the grass, one might be able to see you."

Casey at the Jet.

"What's this I hear about Casey?" asked McGinnis.

"He's been trying to asphyxiate himself," said O'Reilly.

"G'wan! What did he do?"

"He lit every gas jet in the house and sat down and waited."—Everybody.

According to some it makes no difference how many dead cats you throw into the well so long as you keep the pump handle polished.

A DOCTOR'S EXPERIENCE

Medicine Not Needed in This Case.

It is hard to convince some people that coffee does them an injury! They lay their bad feelings to almost every cause but the true and unsuspected one.

But the doctor knows. His wide experience has proven to him that to some systems, coffee is an insidious poison that undermines the health.

Ask the doctor if coffee is the cause of constipation, stomach and nervous trouble.

"I have been a coffee drinker all my life. I am now 42 years old and when taken sick two years ago with nervous prostration, the doctor said that my nervous system was broken down and that I would have to give up coffee."

"I got so weak and shaky I could not work, and reading your advertisement of Postum, I asked my grocer if he had any of it. He said: 'Yes,' and that he used it in his family, and it was all it claimed to be."

"So I quit coffee and commenced to use Postum steadily and found in about two weeks' time I could sleep soundly at night and get up in the morning feeling fresh. In about two months I began to gain flesh. I weighed only 146 pounds when I commenced on Postum, and now I weigh 167 and feel better than I did at 20 years of age."

"I am working every day and sleep well at night. My two children were great coffee drinkers, but they have not drank any since Postum came into the house, and are far more healthy than they were before."

Read "The Road to Wellville," found in pkgs. "There's a reason."

Never read the above letter? A new copy appears free of charge. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

Libby's SOUPS

Tomato
Chicken
Vegetable

and ten other kinds. Delightful natural flavor and made from the very best materials, with the care of experienced chefs, in the great White Enamelled Kitchens.

Libby's Soups are ready for immediate use by adding an equal portion of hot water

Ask your grocer for Libby's Soups

Libby, McNeill & Libby
Chicago



The Laughing Barber.

Jim Rice, the coach of the Columbia crew, was praising a stalwart freshman.

"He's so young and tender," said the coach, "you'd never think he could row. Why, they laugh at him at the barber's."

"As he was getting his hair cut the other day he said to the barber wistfully:

"Do you think I'll have a strong beard? My father has a very strong one."

"It looks to me," said the barber, "as though you took after your mother."

A Practical Discourse.

One stormy day the children were amusing themselves indoors, playing church. "Now, Florence," said Theodore, "I'll be the minister and tell you what you must do, and you'll be the people, and you must listen and do what I tell you." Climbing up on a chair, he began his sermon "Florence, you must be a very good girl and do whatever your brother wants you to. If he wants your playthings, you must let him have them, and if you want any of his, you just let 'em alone."—Christian Herald.

If a man who is early to bed and early to rise doesn't get rich, his wife is firmly convinced it's because he is too honest.

Sincerity, a deep genuine sincerity, is the first characteristic of all men in any way heroic.—Carlyle.

A Happy Day

Follows a breakfast that is pleasing and healthful.

Post Toasties

Are pleasing and healthful, and bring smiles of satisfaction to the whole family.

"The Memory Lingers"

Popular Pkg. 10c.

Family Size 15c.

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Battle Creek, Mich.

ASKS SQUARE DEAL

PUT "INTERESTS" OUT OF POLITICAL SWAY, IS PINCHOT'S SLOGAN.

ASSAILS TARIFF AS GRAFT

Former Forester Delivers Stirring Speech at St. Paul in Which He Scorchs Congress and Leaders of Republican and Democratic Parties.

St. Paul, Minn.—Gifford Pinchot, speaking before the Roosevelt club here Saturday night, scored congress and the leaders of both political parties and characterized the present government of the United States as a government by and for the special interests.

He demanded the absolute divorce of "the interests" and politics. Here are some of the pointed things Mr. Pinchot said in the course of his speech:

"A representative of the people who wears the collar of the special interests has touched bottom. He can sink no farther."

"The people of the United States demand a new deal and a square deal."

"The motto in every primary—in every election—should be this: 'No watch dogs of the interests need apply.'"

"The alliance between business and politics is the most dangerous thing in our political life. It is the snake we must kill."

"The special interests must get out of politics or the American people will put them out of business."

"Because the special interests are in politics we as a nation have lost confidence in congress."

"The people of the United States believe that, as a whole, the senate and house no longer represent the voters by whom they were elected, but the special interests by which they are controlled."

"Differences of purpose and belief between political parties today are vastly less than the differences within the parties."

"It is a greater thing to be a good citizen than a good Republican or a good Democrat."

"The protest against politics for revenue only is as strong in one party as in the other, for the servants of the interests are plentiful in both."

In discussing the tariff Mr. Pinchot declared that congress had directly violated the will of the people and thereby shown its alliance with the "interests." He made special mention of the coal and steel and wool interests.

He declared that conservation had captured the nation and that its progress during the past twelve months had been amazing.

"Efforts to obscure or belittle the issue have only served to make it larger and clearer in the public estimation," said Mr. Pinchot. "The conservation movement cannot be checked by the baseless charge that it will prevent development, or that every man who tells the plain truth is either a muck-raker or a demagogue. It has taken firm hold on our national moral sense, and when an issue does that it has won."

"All monopoly rests on the unregulated control of natural resources and natural advantages, and such control by the special interests is impossible without the help of politics."

WOULD BAR WATERED STOCKS

Taft Insists on Provision in Rail Bill to Control Issues of Bonds by Roads.

Washington.—As the result of President Taft's insistence that the new railroad bill should include some provision looking to the control of the new issues of stocks and bonds by railroad companies, it was decided at a White House conference Saturday that a paragraph shall be added to the bill providing for a commission to investigate and report at the next session of congress the best means of dealing with this situation.

The president was told again that with all the Democrats but one opposed to giving the interstate commerce commission supervision on this subject, it was absolutely impossible to get an out-and-out provision for the control of stock and bond issues in the bill at this session.

There were present at the conference at the White House Speaker Cannon, Senators Elkins and Aldrich and Mr. Mann of the conferees and Attorney General Wickersham.

The president declared at the conclusion of the conference that he would continue to urge legislation to prevent "watering" of railroad stocks so long as he was in the White House. It is understood that the president has receded from his position in regard to the time for the suspension of alleged unreasonable rates by the interstate commerce commission.

Bleacher Rooter Drops Dead.
Peoria, Ill.—During the excitement at a ball game Saturday between Peoria and Springfield William Bister, a retired farmer of Averyville, dropped dead while sitting in the bleachers. It is thought he was overcome with enthusiasm after Peoria had scored two runs.

Ties World's 100-Yard Mark.
Cedar Rapids, Ia.—In Coe College home field meet Saturday, Wilson, Coe's crack sprinter, tied the world's 100-yard record. Time 9 3-5 seconds.

LAND IN CANADA AN INVESTMENT

WORK IT, AND SECURE 20 PER CENT. ON THE EXPENDITURE.

Farm lands in Canada increased in value this Spring from fifteen to twenty per cent, and as a result of this increase thousands of those who have gone there within the past few years have had that much more value added to their holdings. There is proof here that as a field for investment there is nowhere to be found a more profitable one than in purchasing farm lands in Canada. And, as a field for occupation and working the farms there is nowhere on the continent where more satisfactory return is given. The crops are always sure and the prices are always good. With railroads entering and traversing all the settled parts, there are very few districts in which the farmer will be more than from ten to twelve miles from a railway station. Roads are good, and big loads are easily handled. The price of getting grain to the primary market is low on this account, and then in reaching the world's markets the railways have their rates controlled by the Government, and what may be considered a fair deal is certain. Good prices for all kinds of grain is the rule, and if the investor has made good money by the increased value given to his unworked land, it is not difficult to understand that the profit to the man who works his land is just that much more, and there will be no depreciation. The man who holds a free homestead of one hundred and sixty acres of land, which he got for \$10 as an entry fee, has land which at its lowest estimate is worth \$10 an acre—yes, \$15 an acre—the moment he has completed his three years' residence duties. It will continue to increase in value until its earning power gives a reasonable interest on a certain sum. That is, if he takes off the land fifteen to twenty dollars per acre clear profit each year, his land is worth to him, at a fair rate of interest, \$200 an acre. If he only realizes \$10 an acre clear profit, it is worth \$100 per acre. Now, thousands of farmers are duplicating these figures. The price of land in Canada today is much less than its realizing value. The fact that the fifty thousand Americans who went to Canada year before last were followed by one hundred thousand last year offers some evidence, and good evidence, too, that there is getting to be a pretty fair knowledge that money is to be made in Canada lands. As an investment money is to be made, but more by living upon the land, secured either by homestead or purchase. The one hundred thousand of last year will be one hundred and fifty thousand this year. These comprise people from every state in the Union, and it is just being realized the asset that awaits the homeseeker in Canada. The large numbers that have gone, though, makes no appreciable difference in the supply of land. There is still left vast quantities of the best of it. But the longer a delay is made in arriving at a decision, the price will advance proportionately, and the more desirable homesteads near the railway lines become more difficult to secure. The Government publishes interesting literature, which may be had on application to any of the agents whose offices are located at different points through the States, and they (the agents) will be pleased to assist in any way possible in the choice of location.

Fletcher Loses His Count.
"Bobby," said his mother, "sit up straight, and don't tuck your napkin under your chin. I've told you hundreds of times."

"There!" exploded Tommy, "you've made me lose the count! I don't know now whether it's 256 or 356 times I've chewed this clam!"

Resinol Ointment Is Used in Every Country of the World as the Best Remedy for Itching Piles.
I was terribly annoyed with Itching Piles for twenty-five years. I found such great relief with the first application of Resinol Ointment that in future I would not think of being without it. An occasional application is all that is necessary.
Christopher Holmes, Brookline, Mass.

Uncle Ezra Says:
Playin' on one string soon wears out the string ez well ez the player.—Boston Herald.

For Red, Itching Eyelids, Crusts, Styes, Falling Eyelashes and All Eye Traps, Use Need Care Eye Salve. Ask Your Druggist or Write Murine Eye Remedy Co., Chicago.

Our tears are round to remind us that God loves the whole world.

Senator Dolliver, of Iowa, says:
The stream of emigrants from the United States to Canada will continue.

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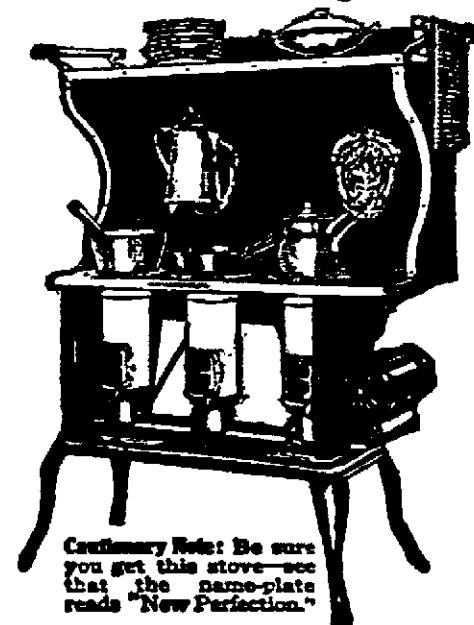
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